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American Carrier Planes Attacking Japanese Warships

Japanese Fleet Reported Moving to Intercept U.S. Philippine Invasion Forces

By The Associated Press

A Japanese communique reported today three Japanese warships had been sunk in a raging naval and sea battle off the Philippines.

The communique claimed 11 American warships had been sunk and two damaged by naval gunfire and submarine action.

Tokio radio, in broadcasts recorded by the Federal Communications Commission, asserted "Japanese naval fire sank four aircraft carriers, two large cruisers and one destroyer" in an intensifying sea battle "east of the Philippines, Wednesday."

PEARL HARBOR, Oct. 24 (AP).—American carrier planes are attacking Japanese battleships and cruisers moving eastward in the Central Philippines, Admiral Chester W. Nimitz announced today, and Allied reports made the unconfirmed claim that enemy planes were taking off into an aerial slugging match by attacking American warships.

The terse communique from the commander of the United States Pacific Fleet indicated there were two groups of Japanese warships, specifying they were moving through the Sibuyan and Sulu seas.

The German radio was heard in London saying both land-based and navy-based planes of the Japanese launched large scale attacks, Tuesday, on the American invasion fleet in Leyte Gulf and also were attacking a second battle fleet "in waters not further specified.

The broadcast said "the battle is still going on."

Admiral Nimitz' communique said further details were unavailable.

Strictest radio silence always is necessary for fleet security while the armadas are in striking distance.

One enemy group could be moving through the Sulu Sea from the southwest, planning to move on through the Mindanao Sea in the

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From Europe Day by Day

THE TIMES, London

News and Comment on International Events, selected from The Times daily and published in The Daily Colonist by special arrangement with The Vancouver Daily Province

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LONDON, Oct. 24.—The Germans facing the Canadians in the Scheldt Estuary are good-class paratroop troops but many of them, nevertheless, have surrendered. According to The Times' special correspondent the enemy group has only one gun on Walcheren Island in fit condition to cause trouble to the Canadians.

British troops are pushing towards Rhue, thus squeezing Walcheren. The Belgian coast Knocke and Heist, now in Allied side pincaurs resists, are the main enemy strongholds.

In the Eindhoven salient General Dempsey's United Kingdom troops are approaching the S-Hertogenbosch bench defence, which will be difficult for the Germans, who are not fighting here with anything like their accustomed ferocity.

The Times Paris correspondent says the whole Holland position seems improving, but mud and rain are the greatest handicaps.

Diplomatic recognition of General de Gaulle's provisional Government by Britain, Russia and the United States has given satisfaction throughout France.

Moscow's recognition, which has long been ready, is counted in the Friendliest terms. France will soon take her seat on the Three-Power European Advisory Commission, says The Times' diplomatic correspondent.

French co-operation in the war both against Germany and Japan will be intensified. French funds frozen in the United States probably will be released.

Editorially The Times describes it as a "welcome decision," and says the British people have desired it for a long time. Frenchmen can now proceed to settle their internal affairs which present many difficult and far-reaching problems.

Along a front from Pinlaud to Yugoslavia, covering five countries, the Red Army is driving forward. It is already many miles inside East Prussia, has crossed up Latvia, is moving rapidly on Budapest, is in Ruthenia and nearing Slovakia, and is preparing well in conjunction with Marshal Tito's forces.

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Tanks Run Gauntlet at Savio River

Sustain Bridgeheads Under Heavy Fire

ROME, Oct. 24 (AP).—British eighth army tanks are running the gauntlet of heavy German shelfire to take supplies and ammunition to troops in two bridgeheads—one British and one Canadian—across the Savio River.

The Germans have sighted whole batteries to bear the river crossings west of Cesena in the Adriatic sector and tanks have undertaken the job of getting all necessary material across to tank and infantry forces on the west side of the river. Despite these difficulties both bridgeheads have been strengthened and enlarged. Strong German tank attacks hurled at the Canadians were beaten off with the Germans suffering heavy casualties.

Monte Casale, west of the Savio and south of Cesena, was captured by Indian troops.

Meanwhile, a flanking threat to Bologna key German communications and supply centre of Northern Italy, has been developed by American raiders of Prassianelo and further gains to the east Pratometo into five miles southwest of Lucca, Sarzana, Pietra, Pe Valley town 13 miles southeast of Bologna on the Adriatic Rimini highway.

CANADIANS BEAT OFF COUNTER-ATTACKS

WITH THE CANADIAN CORPS IN ITALY, Oct. 24 (AP).—Canadians holding a mile-wide bridgehead over the swift-flowing Savio River in the Adriatic sector have brushed off repeated German counter-attacks during the night and today and early today were holding firmly to their positions.

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Find Ship Adrift; No One on Board

SEATTLE, Oct. 24 (AP).—The discovery of the trailer Quill, of Marysville, adrift with all lines set and one hatch open, has led to a search for Destruction Island off Washington coast, was disclosed in a marine bulletin issued here today.

Frank Ingland, owner of the trailer Memories and Glen Ormsbee, owner, both of Seattle, made the discovery.

The Quill owned by Victor Carlson, about 40 of Marysville, had been the object of a search by the coast guard since it had been unreported after Sunday.

Dragland and Ormbeck said they found the craft "in good shape, with a heavy ground swell. October 15 flooding the craft, they found the hatch and pilothouse open, trolling lines set and 300 pounds of fish roiling in a hold to the pilothouse they found also $2.792 in currency.

A missing gaff hook was the only clue as to what may have been Carlson's fate.

The discoverers pumped the Quill dry of water which had been slapped into it and in Tacoma-land tow to Neah Bay.

In accordance with maritime law they filed a marine libel suit for salvage estimating value of the boat and cargo at $2,383 and asked their reward be $2,792.

DOCK WORKERS STRIKE

LONDON, Oct. 24 (CP). Three thousand dock workers struck at the port of Bristol today, refusing to accept the decision of an arbitrator that gangs of six men instead of eight men should work in the holds of unloading ships.

Prepare Earthquake Bombs for Delivery to Nazis

Armorers of the Royal Air Force are preparing a batch of the new 12,000-pound earthquake bombs for delivery to Germany. These bombs, far more powerful than the famous blockbusters, penetrate steel and concrete to a depth of 12 feet and then explode by delayed-action fuse. They are used on the submarine pens at Brest with devastating effect. They are carried by Lancaster bombers

New Robot Raids

LONDON, Oct. 25 (Wednesday) (CP).—The Germans fired fling robot bombs against Southern England, including London area, from over the North Sea during the night.

Coastal observers saw at least two buzz-bombs blow up in the air as anti-aircraft batteries caught them. Only a few penetrated the defences and one crashed in open country

Russians Near Big Rail And Road Hub in Prussia

Battling Deeper Through Forests on 35-Mile Front—New Thrust From Southeast

LONDON, Oct. 24 (AP).—The Red Army battled deeper through the forests of East Prussia today on expanding front more than 35 miles wide, overcoming a string of at least 14 strong points and pressing within six miles of the big rail and road hub of Gumbinnen.

The Soviet communique broadcast from Moscow, in announcing these hard-won gains by young General Ivan D. Cherniakhovsky's Third White Russian Army disclosed that a new thrust threatening East Prussia from further southeast had captured the Polish border hamlet of Kalvarija and 40 other populated centres on a 20-mile front from Augustow to Raseiniai.

The Soviet announcement indicated the first great crush of German Cherniakhovsky's men, which carried them more than 30 miles into the homeland of the German Junkers, had slowed down.

Now the powerful Soviet mechanized army group was moving into position for a new series of thrusts against stubbornly-fighting German defenders. These included the newly-organized German Home Guard, but Moscow dispatches said these poorly-armed amateurs had failed to meet the initial test, many being readily killed or captured in the first great break-through. One regiment said many hid in the woods until the Russians passed, then returned home

GERMAN ARMOR COUNTER-ATTACKING

Regular German armor was counter-attacking west of the East Prussian town of Goldap, held by the Russians, and was massed on the eastern and southeastern approaches to Gumbinnen, which bars the direct route to Insterburg and Konigsberg

Moscow still did not confirm a German statement of Monday that the Red Army had reached the Angerapp River, 17 miles west of Eallen Goldap and 38 miles inside East Prussia

The Germans were using their

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Towns Freed Yoke on Leyte

GENERAL MACARTHUR'S HEADQUARTERS, Philippines, Oct. 24.—American-Filipino forces pressed the reconquest of Leyte Island in the Central Philippines today, seized another girdield and freed numerous towns from the enemy yoke.

A field dispatch to The Melbourne, Australia, Herald reported American tanks, ferried across San Juanico Strait from Leyte established a bridgehead on Samar Island

The dispatch has not been officially confirmed, nor has the action been reported from any other source.

The operation may have for its immediate objective the silencing of Japanese artillery on Southern Samar which could menace Tacloban, provisional Philippine capital, and Allied shipping in Leyte Gulf and the narrow strait

Samar is the island link between Leyte and Luzon, on which Manila is situated. It is more than 100 miles long and is separated from Luzon by San Bernardino Strait. That strait, 15 miles wide, is said by veteran mariner men to be one of the most treacherous water courses in the world

While ground forces at the northern end of the Leyte battlefront repulsed a better all-night enemy counter-attack near Palo, the southern army battled around from Dulag through mire and rain to enter the San Pablo airfield

The action apparently occurred after the issuance of Gen Douglas MacArthur's Tuesday communique, which merely said the outskirts of San Pablo had been reached. Three airfields now are in American hands. The others are at Tacloban, at the northern end of Leyte, and at Dulag. The Tacloban field already is in limited operation

Summing up the successful operations since the initial landings last week MacArthur reported the liberation of three islands—Dinagat, Suluan and Homonhon—and the communities of Tacloban, San Pedro, Basilisan, San Jose, Marasbaras, Dulag, Palo, Pawing, Guindapunan, Calampanan and Burauan

Canadians Retain Hold After Bitter Fighting

By ROBB MUNRO
Canadian Press War Correspondent

WITH THE CANADIANS IN HOLLAND, Oct. 24 (CP).—Nine infantry strengthened their foothold in the Woensdrecht area of South Beveland tonight, as Western infantry held firmly in positions retaking Graves across the causeway leading to this island dominating the northern side of the Scheldt Estuary.

After a day of bitter fighting against German infantry and numerous tanks, the defence position of the Chlaranis were within sight of the town of Maizie one and a half miles from the east end of the island on a highway outlining right across Bosch Beveland.

An attack launched before dawn with artillery and aircraft support had carried the Canadians three miles along dike-top roads and over marshy ground. Pre-arranged earth and tanks were also in support—the infantry as the exposed roads made the valley sides impassable and tanks and half-tracks allowed and supported in the mud and slime

In a concerted drive in this sector north of Antwerp, other Canadians pushed out new advances in all areas of the causeway and southeast Belgium on Dutch soil, and fled Gentbrugh coastal basin. The Canadians thus have carved out a bridge jumping northward from Hoogerheide to Beerlim

While Canadians north of Antwerp were meeting severe German resistance, after fighting also taken in the pocket south of the Scheldt Estuary around the ancient Fort Frederik-Hendrik, northwest of, captured Breskens. Infantry pushed

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Child Prodigy Reaids Her Lines

VANCOUVER, Oct. 24 (CP).—Blue-eyed Pern Tumbley, of Vancouver, appearing before Mayor J. W. Cornett and city council today to request civic aid in order to participate in a child prodigy radio program in Chicago, was asked to demonstrate her reading ability from a newspaper. Pern was greeted with an embarrassed silence when she read at random from the newspaper handed her

"Cruz Cortez" indicate Aldarman George Worthington may enter the field as a candidate in opposition to Mayor Cornett at the coming election.

New Cabinet For Greece Is Announced

ATHENS, Oct. 24 (AP).—Premier George Papandreou announced tonight the formation of a new Greek cabinet and at the same time his Finance Minister disclosed arrival of large shipments of gold from London to help stabilize the drachma.

The new Cabinet, in which M. Papandreou will hold the Ministries of War and Foreign Affairs, includes representatives of eight political parties and two independents. Only three of the 17 members served with the Greek Government in Cairo.

Philip Maneuelides, Social Democrat who was chairman of the committee of three which governed Greece before Papandreou returns, was named Minister of Interior.

Pronouncing of the drachma were now checked by announcement of Finance Minister Alexander Bodos that a shipment of gold had been received from Britain and that other substantial sums in foreign exchange were due. The inflation reached new heights today, at 2,000,000,000 to a gold sovereign.

Madrid Blaming France for Raids

PARIS, Oct. 24 (AP).—France's relations with Spain, already distorted by Franklin Roosevelt's ideological factors, were strained further today when the Madrid radio criticized Gen. de Gaulle for not preventing Spanish Republicans from making raids into Spain from France.

The broadcast, heard even while the ambassadors of Britain Canada, United States and Russia were officially informing the De Gaulle provisional Government of its recognition by these countries said

"De Gaulle may not speak of independence and sovereignty so long the recognition of the great powers if he shows himself incapable of dominating the situation created by the Spanish Reds

Nevertheless, diplomatic here expect Gen. Franco to recognize the De Gaulle Government.

Gets Seven Years For Aiding Nazis

PARIS, Oct. 24 (AP).—Boris Thomodzinko, accused as a collaborator of the Germans, was sentenced today to seven years' imprisonment and confiscation of his property after pleading that his association with the Germans had been prompted by a desire to aid in resistance. The collaboration trials continue concerns with hearings for the alleged amounts of anti-Nazi Minister Georges Mandel.

FEW JEWS ESCAPE

ATHENS, Oct. 24 (AP).—Only 8,000 of the 90,000 Jewish population of Greece are known to have escaped German shootings and deportations the newspaper Democratic reported today.

Surprise British Offensive Imperils Entire Garrison of Germans in Western Holland

Second Army Fights in Streets of Key City of 'S-Hertogenbosch—Canadians Cross Estuary

LONDON, Oct. 24 (AP).— Lt.-Gen. Dempsey's British Second Army fought tonight into the streets of 'S-Hertogenbosch, keystone of the enemy's defence system in Western Holland, and captured the northeast factory district of that ancient fortress city.

Canadian forces, battling to clear the Scheldt Estuary approaches to Antwerp, drove across a causeway onto South Beveland Island, which sprawls along the northern side of the estuary and cut one-third of the enemy's lines inside the island to within a few hundred yards of the town of Maizie.

A field dispatch said the capture of S-Hertogenbosch would imperil the entire German force estimated at between 60,000 and 70,000 men in Western Holland, and go far toward breaking the enemy's blockade of the great port of Antwerp.

The three-day British offensive northward from Eindhoven had captured nearly 1,500 prisoners, and it appeared tonight that Nazi defences were crumbling all along a 12-mile front. A captured German colonel admitted the sudden British offensive had taken the enemy command completely by surprise.

Two other enemy strongholds north of Antwerp and northeast of the Causeway Bergen Zoom and Rosendaal—were threatened by the Canadian pincers beyond the island foothold, and Westerners held firmly in positions which had been crucial clean across the entrance to the Causeways.

Not yet pocket south of the Scheldt Estuary, the ferry port of Breskens, across from Vlissingen (Flushing) on largely-flooded Walcheren Island at the entrance to the estuary, was held by the Canadians, though hard fighting was in progress for Fort Frederik-Hendrik, one mile northeast of the town.

Canadian infantry pushed a mile west of Breskens and also advanced two miles west of Schoondijke, three miles south of Breskens. A field dispatch said Allied bombing had knocked out all but one of the Ger-

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Super-Forts Raid Japanese Island

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24 (Wednesday) (AP).—Strategic targets on the Japanese island of Kyushu were attacked today by a task force of B-29 Super-Fortresses of the 20th Air Force, Gen. H. H. Arnold announced at the War Department in his capacity as commanding general of the 20th Air Force.

Call Chiefs Of Army to Oust Franco

Guerrillas Recruit Spanish Officers

LONDON, Oct. 24 (AP).—The first open call for a new civil war in Spain has been issued by the underground newspaper, Conquest of Spain, which urged that officers of the Spanish army join the Red army against General Franco and the Falange, Spanish Republican headquarters here announced today.

Conquest of Spain is the official newspaper of the Republican junta, which operates from Toulouse headquarters in Madrid, and presumably is published in the Spanish capital.

"We call upon the chiefs and officers of the Spanish army to lay up arms shoulder to shoulder with the people against Franco and Falangism," the paper said

Official German news agencies, meanwhile, were laying the implacable claaers along the Pyrenees border a Franco defence against a Red invasion from France and reporting that Republican thrusts into Spain had been routed

Reports from Paris said Republican guerrillas, fighting the Franco forces along the border, were recruiting officers for regular army units their ranks—possibly as a result of the newspaper call—and that a definite struggle to seize control from Franco was under way

A correspondent of the newspaper Liberation Soir, of Paris, said strife was raging throughout the Spanish peninsula, with the guerrillas under the direction of the Republican junta, which has been directing underground resistance from Madrid for several years. He said several factories had been seized by the Republicans and that they had made several effective raids on communications, destroying many trains

Official Spanish reports, now confinded the border raids of the past three weeks to the Spanish guerrillas who previously had operated with the French Maquis against the German occupation and failed and the raiders were cut off by heavy ammunition.

In Paris Spanish Republicans said clashes had extended deep into Catalonia and the province of Castility. The Republicans were said to be operating from bases in Toulouse area, reported to have been given them by the French in return for their help in driving the Germans during the occupation of France

Repair U.S. Ships At Halifax Yards

HALIFAX, Oct. 24 (CP).—One thousand damaged United States merchant ships have been repaired at Halifax in the last two and one-half years, Lt.-Col. Frederick Gilchrist, manager of the United States Shipping Administration, said in a statement tonight

He told of one case where 28 United States ships landed here to another one day in the Winter of 1942 all damaged in convoy.

"Of these 28 vessels fring the Allied air attack, others by U-boat duels in 1940

The First Great War resulted in the destruction of 510,000 dwellings in France

Bombers on Night Raid

Stockholm Reports Planes Over Sweden

LONDON, Oct. 24 (CP).—A strong force of Allied planes flew over Sweden tonight, dispatches from Stockholm said, despite striking at a German shipping or lending a supporting hand to the Russian offensive in East Prussia.

A Stockholm communique said Swedish anti-aircraft guns opened up as a "great number" of Allied planes, presumably British, flew in over the west coast south as far as Halmstad, 50 miles south of Gothenburg and then turned north.

The night operations followed up daylight attack on Holland when rocket-firing RAF Typhoons carried out a special raid on what the Air Ministry described only as "an important military target at Dordrecht." For an hour the planes blasted two large buildings in a park with 47,000 pounds of explosives.

RAF Bomber Command announced that the earlier raid on Essen brought the local bomb tonnage dropped on the Ruhr during October to 18,000 tons, with Essen, Duisberg, Dortmund and Bochum, striking most. Essen is reported to have lost half its built area.

A force of 1,000 R.A.F. and R.C.A.F. Lancasters and Halifaxes, including every squadron of the Canadian Bomber Group, pounded Essen with anti-aircraft guns and Nazi night fighters over Essen.

Hard-hitting Mosquitos at the same time attacked by daylight the German capital a short raid followed ground fire and night fighters attacks brought down two big bombers in the Essen assault, including one Canadian.

Navigators found their way to the Ruhr objective through a thick snowstorm of the season after their scattered dropped skymarkers to point the targets

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Gangsters Looting Supplies in France

PARIS, Oct. 24 (AP).—United States military pipelines and truck convoys bound for the front are being robbed of thousands of gallons of gasoline and tons of rations by black market gangsters, the United States newspaper Stars and Stripes reporting today. Lieut.-Col. Lewis R. Chase chief of the petrol division of the Normandy base section at Cherbourg

The racketeers sell the valuable fuel and food at inflated prices in Paris and other inland cities, the paper said

Eden Now at Cairo

CAIRO, Oct. 24 (AP).—British Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden, returning from the Churchill-Stalin conferences in Moscow, has stopped off in Cairo for what is announced officially as a "rest" but he has had some conferences with Egyptian officials. Mr Eden conferred with the new Egyptian Prime Minister, Ahmed Maher Pasha, the United States Minister, A. Pinkney Tuck and others.

Victoria Bond Total 12 Per Cent of Quota

Greater Victoria Seventh Victory Loan subscriptions received $121,700 yesterday considerably ahead of the same day in the last campaign, but less than 12 per cent of the $6,150,000 objective

Vancouver Island subscriptions reached $1,007,200, compared with $853,750 on the second day of the last loan, the aggregate for the preceding figure was only 8 per cent of the $8,650,000 objective.

Nelson, with a quota of $650,000, reported yesterday that it was over the top.

Figures for the Island as compiled last night, with Bluth Victory Loan Committee Chairman Stewart, are for comparison, follow:

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Fog Blankets All Of Vancouver Area

VANCOUVER, Oct. 24 (CP).—Despite predictions that recent rains would clear the weather fog rolled in over the city and vicinity tonight about 8 (8 o'clock) tonight, limiting visibility to half a block in the downtown area. All plane flights in and out of the airport were reported cancelled at least until Wednesday. Harbor conditions were described by harbor men as "pea soup" with all vessels being ordered to proceed slowly by whistle blasts and foghorns. Up until 8 p.m. ferry service was still operating close to schedule, however.

Fighters Need No Urging

FIGHTING towards Faenza on the east coast of Italy, and up the estuary of the Scheldt in Holland, thirs are Canadians today who have already contributed bit in the Seventh Victory Loan. These men, arriving at the hazard of their lives, know what war is at first hand. We see it only at second hand; cannot know, and perhaps do not always realize the grimness and reality of the struggle. It is a mortal one between ideas that cannot live simultaneously in this world; the concept of a slave state against that of independent freeman. Canada's fighting veterans have bought bonds because they know that this is a fight to the finishing line. We can do no less. Indeed, we have every sound reason for uniting now to meet Canada's immediate need—money to continue the battle to victory.

Victoria Unit,
National War Finance Committee.

Company Subscriptions Raise Total for Tuesday Loan Sale

OTTAWA, Oct. 24 (CP).—Reports from the armed services and large purchasers featured the second day's progress of Canada's Seventh Victory Loan campaign, aimed at an objective of $1,300,000,000, national headquarters announced tonight.

Large subscriptions totalling $15,000,000 were made today, including a $10,000,000 purchase by the Canadian Life Assurance Co., of Toronto, showed incomplete first-day returns of $18,341,650 for navy, army and air force.

Sailors on the second day of canvassing with a total of $6,290,300 from the first day's sales. This figure, although somewhat below what had been anticipated at loan headquarters, still was regarded as "encouraging."

There still were few reports on the progress of the general canvass, the portion of the loan in which officials hope that the all-time individual sales total of $643,700,000 reached in the Sixth Loan will be exceeded. To reach this figure average daily sales of $35,700,000 must be maintained. The first day's sales in this category amounted to $18,858,000, roughly $18,000,000 below the required minimum.

Large subscriptions reported today included:

Canada Life Assurance Co., Toronto, $12,000,000; Consolidated Mining & Smelting Co. of Canada, Ltd., Trail, B.C., $6,000,000; Province of British Columbia, $5,000,000; Sheet Co. of Canada, Hamilton and Montreal, $4,000,000; Canadian Car & Foundry Co., Ltd., Montreal, $2,000,000; the Workmen's Compensation Board and associated funds of British Columbia, $2,000,000; the Church of Christ Mortgage Corporation and Canada Trust Co., London, Ont., $2,000,000; Hudson's Bay Company, Winnipeg, $1,500,000; F. W. Woolworth Co. Ltd., Toronto, $1,000,000; the Powell River Co., Ltd., and associated companies, Vancouver, $970,000; the West Kootenay Power & Light Co., Ltd., $950,000; Coast Breweries, Ltd., including the New Westminster Brewery Co., Ltd., and the Victoria Phoenix Brewing Co., Ltd., $500,000; the Pension Fund Society of the Consolidated Mining & Smelting Co., Ltd., on behalf of the employees of Trail, B.C., $300,000, and on behalf of employees at Kimberley, B.C., $75,000.

BRITISH COLUMBIA HAS BIGGEST DAY

Armed forces and public in British Columbia-Yukon had invested a record $1,422,400 from 38,358 individual orders to noon Tuesday. Province war finance authorities said this was the biggest day ever recorded in any Victory Loan drive in this area.

The armed forces have subscribed 52 per cent of their $3,000,000 quota already. Coast division is second with 17 per cent of quota subscribed. Vancouver division is third with 13 per cent.

Lachambre, with 69 per cent of a $100,000 quota already in, continues to set the pace among 42 units comprising the B.C.-Yukon Territory. Next come Fort Nelson in the Coast division; Alberni District-West Coast with 29 per cent and Great Falls-Rivers Inlet with 27 per cent.

The opening drive has netted 13.86 per cent of the armed forces and public quota of $54,800,000.

In Vancouver suburban division, Burnaby leads with 13 per cent, followed by West Vancouver with 8 per cent.

Large applications total $11,317,000 to date, or 34 per cent of the $46,000,000 expected from this source.

Other communities are already over the top. The District of Sooke, on Vancouver Island, now is absorbing for its second bonus premium after having exceeded its $60,000 quota on the first day of the loan. Gulf Islands, with a quota of $6,000, had exceeded this figure by 25 per cent and earned the right to fly its second honor pennant.

Municipality of Alberni Plywoods, Ltd., Port Alberni, have invested $11,000 or 16 per cent of their payroll.

Courtenay Unit reports that the Canada Conservation Company, with a crew of 80 employees, has exceeded a $10,000 quota.

Nakusp, on the Arrow Lakes, was over the top Sunday before the drive officially opened, and by Monday night the entire district had made its goods, reaching its quota of $85,000.

Canadians Hold

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mile to the west of Bressanes and also drove two miles west of Bronchi, a three-mile salient west of Bressanes.

The Oxfordshire Infantry assault on Gemmano got off to a good start at 4.30 a.m.

Infantry who made the first advance from a big dike at the eastern end of the causeway were led by Maj. R. W. Cartwright, Maj. T. F. Whitley and Capt. R. T. Burkling, all Toronto men, and Capt. Bob Downie, of Calgary. They drove westward for one and a half miles, capturing a 15-foot high dike which runs across the causeway and took more than 80 prisoners.

Other Canadian troops fighting from dike to dike gained another one and a half miles and when darkness fell were battling enemy infantry last south of Maine.

Late today I crouched in a diked-side lookout trench with a mortar crew—Pfcs. Don Wilson, of Calgary; Ken Clarry, of Toronto, and Albert Burkland, of Brooks, Alta.—who we could see across the marshes towards the battle line.

Canadian artillery was hammering German-held dikes, and then the Spitfires came over. Circling wide to make certain of their targets, they drove in tree-top level with cannons and machine guns blazing. Only one burst of fire was seen in their table.

"Nice shooting," Burkling commented grimly. "The Spits are good for closer dike jobs."

Much of this land had already been deliberately flooded by the Germans and in the face of the Canadian advance this morning they blew more dikes.

We could clearly see a coastal town on the southeast tip of South Beveland and some flak were burning on its outskirts. Our artillery was rolling it as well as the town of Maire and Spitfires raked the area too.

The fighting through this district is one of the most miserable and difficult tasks undertaken by the Canadians in Holland. Everything is sodden wet and the mud gets worse with every rain. The country is like one one huge swamp.

Study Trade Union Centre for Canada

TORONTO, Oct. 24 (CP).—The Trades and Labor Congress of Canada at its annual convention today instructed its executive to "give most serious study to the possibility of establishing one trade union centre in Canada."

Approval of the resolution followed a short debate in which some delegates attacked Canadian Congress of Labor unions for infringement on the jurisdiction of T.L.C. unions.

The 700 delegates heard Anthony Valente, president of the United Textile Workers and fraternal delegate from the American Federation of Labor, call for close co-operation between Canadian and American workers in meeting postwar problems.

Al Addamiak representing Polish trade unions, said workers of his country were anxious to co-operate internationally, and were ready to fight for freedom and democracy.

Italian Front

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The bridgehead was thrown across the Savio, which runs northward through captured Cesena into the Adriatic, late Friday night and today, at the beginning of the fourth day of the thrust, the Canadians were in high spirits.

Dry clothes, rations, ammunition and—most important of all in this torrential rain and cold—an issue of rum cheered the troops lying in dusty places on the sodden ground.

The situation here remained substantially unchanged during Monday. On the left of the foothill Prince regiment men strengthened their positions and British Columbia Highlanders on the right dug in more firmly. Both these units command all movement on the main Cesena-Ravenna road.

Western Front

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mans' long-range guns at Vlissingen, which have effectively blocked the sea entrance to the Scheldt.

A mistaken report Monday night that the Canadians had withdrawn from Bressanes was believed to have been caused by confusion over the withdrawal of a small Canadian patrol from Port Frederik-Hendrik Waalhre side held the fort tonight.

BRITISH ATTACK IN STREET FIGHTING

The Germans still held the main business section of 's Hertogenbosch with the South Willemsvaart between them and the attacking British troops. Two other armored British columns, coming up from the East and the South, were little more than two miles from the communications hub. There was one picture whether the enemy would fight for 's Hertogenbosch, which it was thought would be another Caen, or withdraw to the Dutch "Swiss cheese" effect of the airfield is caused by 800 bomb craters that remained after Allied planes had devastated this enemy base located about 12 miles north of Helmond, Holland. The runways are completely destroyed.

Airfield After Allied Blasting

United Nations Conference On World Security Planned

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24 (CP).—The United States Government hopes to invite the United Nations to a full-dress conference, possibly next January, designed to create a world security organization along the lines of the plan drafted at Dumbarton Oaks.

In making this announcement at a press conference today, Edward Stettinius, acting state secretary, placed the postwar security issue definitely in the middle of the presidential election. For, if the plans materialize, it is all mean that Winston Churchill and President next November 7 will be plunged straight into the most important of all world conferences almost immediately after his inauguration if January 30.

Possibly next month, Mr. Stettinius disclosed, Premiers Roosevelt may meet with Prime Minister Churchill and Marshal Stalin in complete the Dumbarton Oaks plan. The major unsettled question is voting procedure in event one of the great powers should be accused of aggression and threats to the peace.

The plans and date for the United Nations conference have not yet been decided. Mr. Stettinius said, but he made it plain that this country would seek to play host. Other officials have indicated it good possibility that the historic meeting comparable to the Versailles conference of 25 years ago in its peace planning agenda, will be held in the United States.

Today's revelation that the President proposes to continue his leadership in the United Nations efforts to avoid the peace of the world right up to inauguration day, and beyond if the people support him strengthen the Democratic campaigners' main argument.

That argument has been that, Mr. Roosevelt, as deep and influentially tied up in these delicate and sensitive international relations, there should be no change in the Administration at this critical time.

Report 482 Births in Three-Month Period

Births in Greater Victoria during July, August and September totaled 482 only one more than in the same period last year, according to the quarterly report of Dr. Richard Pelton, medical health officer, presented to Mayor Andrew McGavin yesterday.

Only unusual fact in the birth figures was that in September 82 boys and only 53 girls were born. Deaths in the three months totaled 251 and marriages 290.

President Has Report

WASHINGTON, Oct. 24 (AP).—President Roosevelt received a partial report on the Churchill-Stalin conference today from Ambassador W. Averell Harriman, and took his news conference that the meeting in Moscow went very well.

Mr. Roosevelt said he had no news to give out on it because Mr. Harriman got only a quarter of the way through his report.

A reporter asked whether the United States Government has any plans to ask France into postwar security talks and Mr. Roosevelt said no.

Ration Book No. 5

Ration book figures show that the population of the city of Victoria has decreased slightly, possibly not more than 100, and that of Saanich has climbed, according to tentative reports. In the last four days the City Hall reports some 1,460 persons have obtained ration book 5.

Some centres have not yet filed returns and until all centres have handed in remaining books and "E" sheets which served as application for an extra allotment of sugar, an exact figure on books distributed in Greater Victoria.

Threatened Coal Strike Called Off

LONDON, Oct. 24 (CP).—A threatened November 4 strike in Yorkshire, Britain's largest field, which would have involved 150,000 men and boys and brought the weekly loss of an estimated 800,000 tons of coal was averted today—and the consumers breathed easier.

For the coal supply position after five years of 'war' is so tight that if the strike had been called it might have resulted in even more stringent restrictions on city use.

The Yorkshire strike was averted at the council of the Yorkshire Mineworkers' Association approved a recommendation of their leaders to withdraw the notice to strike because of a dispute that hinged on the demand for extra pay for working Saturday afternoons.

Joseph Hall, miners' president, said the principle of the afternoon shifts making up the normal working week had been acknowledged and that for week-end shifts miners would be paid an additional sum beyond the 25 shillings ($22.50) minimum wage.

Reduced manpower in the mines, labor disputes of increasing frequency and voluntary absenteeism among miners have combined to cut coal production from 227,000,000 long tons in 1938 to 185,000,000 in 1943 and an estimated 185,000,000 this year.

While exports have virtually ceased since the outbreak of war, there has been higher domestic consumption for war purposes. During the year ended last June, coal stocks fell 3,300,000 tons.

In recent years a flurry of labor troubles has beset the coal fields. The output loss is estimated at 587,400 tons for the first half of this year compared with 227,400 in the same period of 1943.

Justice Must Be Peace Aim

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 24 (AP).—The Earl of Halifax, British ambassador to the United States, said tonight that "peace can never merely be the absence of war."

"There can be no true peace without the presence of justice, he said speaking at the 150th anniversary of the birth of William Penn, describing the "peace" of Occupied Europe as "the peace of a concentration camp."

"If in 1940 the Nazis had broken the resistance of Britain, there might have been this sort of 'peace' in the world but there would have been no sort of justice," he said.

Earl Halifax urged a peace based on many of the principles set down three centuries ago by Penn, who "turned his mind to the problems which were being debated at Dumbarton Oaks many years before any of the other representatives had thought of paying any attention to them."

In the years following 1618, he said, "we placed the claims of what we thought was peace above the claims of what we knew was justice."

Stating that injustice, and thus war, arises not from the country itself but more fundamentally from its people, Earl Halifax said: "A multitude of little wrongs by inconspicuous men and women may pave the approach to some crowning infamy which spells a people's doom."

The peoples of the world "can never be indifferent to events, however apparently remote, which may threaten world peace and with that, their own," he asserted.

Pacific Front

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Southwest Philippines toward Leyte Island.

The other could be moving through the Siberian Sea southeastward toward the Visayan Sea and Leyte Island, which Gen. Douglas MacArthur's forces invaded last week.

Shallow narrow passages around Leyte prevent Admiral William Halsey's warships from closing for a surface engagement. However, with Vice-Admiral Marc A. Mitscher's carrier force now within aerial striking distance of the Japanese the Third Fleet logically could tackle bomb-riddled Leyte in today's performance of the rodeo at Madison Square Garden in New York perial units which presumably are lacking in vital aerial support.

Admiral Nimitz' failure to mention the presence of any Japanese carriers indicate the enemy is trying to slip heavily-gunned surface ships close to the western side of Leyte Island and subject Gen. MacArthur's ground forces to severe bombardment.

John S. Byrom Dies

John S. Byrom, 75, retired catering superintendent of the B.C. Coast Service, C.P.R., who first came to Victoria in 1899, died yesterday at West Coast Hospital, Port Alberni, after a brief illness. He fell ill when at his Cameron Lake Summer home, where he spent most of his time.

Born in Jersey City, Mr. Byrom began his seafaring career when he joined sailing schooners in Scotland, later coming to Victoria and going to sea on the steamer Islander, operating by the Canadian Pacific Navigation Company. He saw service on many of the coastal routes and followed the Yukon gold rush in 1898, but returned to his old love, the sea, in 1901, when he became shore steward of the B.C. Coast Service. In 1910 he went to the Great Lakes as superintendent, was transferred to Montreal, where he became general superintendent of dining and sleeping cars, served on the Food Control Board at Ottawa, and in 1916 was appointed assistant marine superintendent, in Vancouver under Capt. C. D. Newcombe.

In 1928 Mr. Byrom was appointed catering superintendent at Victoria a position he held until 1937 when he retired. He had lived at 1024 Cranbrook Road since his retirement.

WINS BRONC RIDING

NEW YORK, Oct. 24 (AP).—Jack Wade, of Halsite, Alta., won the second bronc riding event in today's performance of the rodeo at Madison Square Garden in New York

Carl Olsen, of Lethbridge, Alta., was

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Dean Reedy For Meeting

Alderman B. J. Geddes, member of the police commission, last night said that Dean Spencer H. Bliss and Rev. Dr. Hugh A. McLeod will be invited to a meeting of the commission to discuss charges concerning night life in Victoria made by Dr. McLeod last week.

Dean Bliss stated:

"I am sure the members of the commission understand that I will gladly take part in any discussion if invited to do so." The dean is president of Victoria Ministerial Association.

Dr. McLeod said he had no statement to make last night. Alderman Geddes, told of the dean's comment, said he wished to discuss the matter with Alderman Margaret Christie, another commission member. Mayor Andrew McGavin, chairman of the commission, said he would call a meeting if the other two members desired one.

In a sermon entitled "I Take the Lid Off Victoria Night Life," Dr. McLeod cited law violations which he said he had seen and been told of in a walk through the city. The police commission met on Monday to discuss his statements with police force heads.

COMMISSIONER SAYS DID BEST SHE COULD

Yesterday Alderman Christie took exception to a statement made on Monday by Dean Elliott, and added, "I have tried to do the best I could."

Last night Dean Elliott replied: "I am sorry to see that Alderman Christie takes exception to my comments on her remark about shortage of police staff. I made no comment at all on Alderman Christie's personal work on the commission. The question of shortage of staff does not cover the points at issue, and as I said, we look for something more. We are all anxious to get to the root of the real matter.

"What I feel very strongly is that we cannot allow Dr. McLeod to stand alone when he is honestly trying to do his duty as a Christian minister. As for the facts of the case, I have myself been warned that bootlegging has been gaining a foothold in the city. As for the bawdy houses, I know that our present two years age had fruitful results, but we have to be constantly on the watch in this matter also."

On a possible meeting with the commission, he prefaced his statement by saying "I do not know whether I could be of any service by meeting members of the commission, but our personal relationships are such that I will gladly take part in any discussion."

COURT MAPLE LEAF, A.O.F.

Court Maple Leaf No. 9202, A.O.F., will meet in the K. of P. Hall at 8 o'clock tonight.

With the Fighting Forces

Dies in England

MAJOR J. T. HARPER, M.B.E.

Veteran of 24 years' service with the Empire forces, who died suddenly last week in London, England. He was in his 51st year. Enlisting in 1918, he served during the last war in France, Egypt and Germany, and was with the Canadian army for 18 years, nine of which as an instructor at R.M.C. Kingston. He was commissioned with his unit, last P.P.C.L.I. in 1938, and had been serving as instructional officer in England.

His widow, Mrs Harper is president of the P.P.C.L.I. W.A. and serves as hostess at Y.W.C.A. Sidney Hostess House.

Airmen Graduate

Commissioned as qualified air crew from No. 16 E.F.T.S., Vulcan, Alta., recently were two Victoria and Island men. Commissioned pilots included Cecil Chadfield, Victoria, and Douglas Best, Nanaimo. Lyle D. Barnes, Victoria, was graduated as navigator and Lewis A. Craven was graduated as a wireless air gunner with the rank of sergeant.

Missing Overseas

P.O. COLIN FINLAYSON, D.F.C. AND BAR

Who was reported missing overseas following air activities on October 18, according to word received by his parents, Mr and Mrs Purdie Finlayson, 1060 Craigflower Road. An observer with an R.C.A.F. Mosquito Squadron, P.O. Finlayson succeeded overseas in October, 1942, and was awarded his decorations for outstanding work while on flights over enemy territory. Before enlistment he was with the Royal Bank of Canada here.

In Hospital Here

Lieut. Robert C. Hall, son of Mr and Mrs John Hall, 225 Lansdowne Street, who was seriously wounded in France on August 8 by enemy machine-gun action, is in Shaughnessy Military Hospital, Vancouver, having been returned from overseas with other war casualties aboard the Lady Nelson. Lt. Hall is temporarily paralysed from the waist down.

Besashed by machine-gun hail while leading a platoon of men, he fell in a field of wheat where he lay for 18 hours while Nazi patrols moved all about him. Two of the lads who had also been hit died beside him. "I will never forget their last moments, dying out there all alone in that field in France," he recalled.

The action in which he was wounded was beyond Caen, when the Canadians were advancing to attack Potigny.

Recently on Leave

P.O. JEROME L. ARMITAGE

Youngest son of Mr and Mrs H. W. Armitage, Royal Oak, who graduated recently as a wireless navigator from No. 8 A.O.S., Ancaster, Lincoln, Ont. Born in Victoria and educated at Prospect Lake School and St. Louis College, he has two brothers in the services, C.P.O. John Armitage, R.C.N. and Pte. Jim Armitage, with the invasion forces in Belgium. The young 18-year-old airman was recently home on leave.

Killed in Action

Flt. Lieut. O. R. B. Reid Roe, only son of Mrs Charles Brown, 1017 Fairfield Road, and R. P. Roe, Vancouver, has been killed in action after having been listed as missing over June 24. He had completed one tour of operations as a bomber pilot and had commenced his second tour after a year of instructional work in England.

FLY. LIEUT. ROE

Born in Victoria 22 years ago, Flt. Lieut. Roe was a member of the staff of the Royal Bank of Canada in Vancouver before his enlistment in 1941.

Airmen Coming Home

Flt. Lt. L. W. Quesale, D.F.C., 626 Dunedin Street, and Flt. Lt. S. A. Crawford, 600 Bay Street, are among a group of British Columbia airmen returned from overseas, at present still in Eastern Canada. A telegram received by Flt. Lt. Quesale while residing with his mother on Dunedin Street, stated he would arrive in Vancouver Saturday morning and would reach Victoria early the following week.

Flt. Lt. Crawford, 24, whose parents, Mr. and Mrs P. M. Crawford, reside here, wrote that he would be home shortly. Overseas for more than three years and with R.C.A.F. since 1940, he enlisted in Saskatoon, and this will be the first time that he has been home.

Also due to arrive on the Coast shortly is Sgt. D. A. Grant, Cowichan Lake, and W/O A. J. Henderson. Courtenay.

Spent Leave Here

CADET OFFICER A. F. IMPEY

Of the Merchant Navy, who has spent a short leave with his parents, Mr. and Mrs L. C. Impey, 1744 Davie Street. Born in Victoria, Cadet Officer Impey was educated at Spring Park and Central Schools and served three years with the Rainbow Sea Cadets under Lieut.-Cmdr. P. W. Tribe. He has now joined ship and is somewhere on the high seas.

Back From Edmonton

L.A.C. TUTHILL

A wireless air gunner in training, L.A.C. William Tuthill is spending leave with his mother, Mrs. R. M. Tuthill, 321 Robertson Street. L.A.C. Tuthill, 18, was employed here at the Legislative Buildings prior to his enlistment 11 months ago.

Bracken Critical of Royal Board on Co-operative Taxes

OTTAWA, Oct. 24 (CP).—The Government is "sidestepping its responsibility" in appointing a Royal Commission to consider the tax treatment of co-operatives in Canada and is "allowing the matter to drift during the period of an election," John Bracken, Progressive Conservative national leader, said today in a statement.

Mr. Bracken said the Government's intention to establish a Royal Commission and added he expected the report of the commission would be available in time to allow introduction of legislation at the next session of the Commons which would clarify existing tax laws relating to co-operatives.

"More than a year ago the present Federal Government made a tax levy on a number of Western producer co-operatives and has since engaged counsel to pursue its claims," Mr. Bracken said in his latest statement.

"The Government has had ample time to declare its policy and, if necessary, to submit legislation to Parliament and settle the problem. It has not chosen to do so.

"By appointing a Royal Commission it is sidestepping its responsibility and allowing the matter to drift during the period of an election. It evades itself now by promising to appoint a Royal Commission. The object of the Government in taking this course must be patent to everyone.

"Mr. Haley in announcing the intention to appoint a Royal Commission has chosen to lecture me on the subject of co-operatives. I do not require lessons from Mr. Haley or any other member of the Government in the matter of co-operatives.

"Throughout my public life I have been a supporter of the co-operative movement and for more than 30 years have been intimately associated with the movement in Western Canada and have given it my continuous backing."

The War Today

By HERBERT L. SIMPSON

of The Times Staff

Canadian forces on the left of the Allied line in Holland have sprung the first of a series of potential traps threatening all Nazi forces west and south of the Zuider Zee.

North of Antwerp, in the drive toward Bergen op Zoom, advance elements were reported on the banks of the Eastern Schelde Estuary and astride the only land escape route for enemy garrisons still clinging to Walcheren and North and South Beveland Islands that lie between the two mouths of the Schelde! Freeing of the Western Schelde approach to Antwerp to shorten Allied communications lines seemed assured, warranting the conclusion that an all-out Allied offensive to turn the Lower Rhine flank of the Nazi fingered defence system need not be long delayed.

Eastward along the Canadian-British front, however, a more menacing situation for all German forces in Holland between the Schelde mouths and the Zuider Zee was rapidly developing with British envelopment of 's-Hertogenbosch, main transportation hub in Holland south of the Maas.

Capture of the swamp, canal and river-girt old town would do more than insure clearing the foe from the southern bank of the Maas to the Schelde Estuary, giving Field Marshal Montgomery the communications he urgently needs and secure his left flank against counter-attacks. It would put him in a position west of Arnhem for a drive northward to the Zuider Zee, snapping the last land escape have still open to German troops in all Western and Central Holland.

Airman Honored

Killed on Christmas Day, 1942 after volunteering for operational patrol, W/O Benjamin Edward Bailey was posthumously granted promotion to that rank effective Nov. based on a policy inaugurated by the R.C.A.F. whereby sincere members who had been recommended previously for higher rank and who would have received the promotion but for an untimely death, are promoted to that rank six months after the date of their last promotion.

On Christmas leave when he dropped forward for volunteer duty, W/O Bailey, son of C. S. Bailey, 1150 Roslyn Road, met his death when his plane crashed near Sydney, N.S.

Princess Beatrice Gravely Ill at 87

LONDON, Oct. 24 (CP).—Eighty-seven-year-old Princess Beatrice last surviving child of Queen Victoria is seriously ill and "her condition is now causing grave anxiety" said a bulletin issued tonight by the Royal physician.

Princess Beatrice is a great-aunt to the present King. She was the youngest of nine children born to Queen Victoria.

Her husband, Prince Henry of Battenberg was a Prussian cavalry officer who became naturalized after their marriage in July, 1885. He died of African fever off the coast of Africa in 1896.

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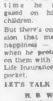

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With the Maple Leaf

More than usual interest attaches to the following guest editorial, reprinted from The Maple Leaf, at Brussels, Belgium, on October 11, by way of an appeal to front line troops from that country who were asked to subscribe $21,000,000 towards the Seventh Victory Loan. Here, under the caption of "Why Bonds Are Worthwhile," is how the soldier-editors worked out their message to men who read it within gunshot of the enemy:

A new Canadian Victory Loan is about to be launched to provide funds to help pay for Canada's great contribution to this war against Germany and Japan. War is an expensive business. Every time we break a shoe lace it costs the Government money. Every time we fire a rifle, turn over a motor, step into a canteen, it costs something. Every time we unloose a barrage, send over the air boys launch an attack, it costs the Government more money than most of us have ever dreamed of seeing.

The minimum objective of the campaign is $1,300,000,000. Of this amount we in this theatre are asked to scrape up $3,500,000. That ain't hay, as the saying goes, but in the light of the total (amount) and in the light of the number of Canadians in this neck of the woods, it is not more than we can handle. There are a couple of reasons why each of us should lend as much money as he can. The first is that Canada is fighting a war and Canada needs money. The second is that when we're won the war we are going to need money, and the best possible way of assuring a handy reserve is to sink what we have now in Victory Bonds

"For $8 40 a month for six months we can get a $50 bond, which will pay interest at 3 per cent—twice the amount of present bank interest and because we are Canadians we have the best security in the world. Bonds from the first loan, which have a par value of $100, are now quoted on the market at $105 and one-eighth. Second loan bonds are $102.50. This ain't hay either. The loan for Canadian soldiers abroad opens on October 12, and continues to October 26. The starting date gives us an eleven-day jump on the people back home. Let us use that eleven days to show the people back there that we are pitching with everything we've got."

If men on active service, and almost continuously in severe action for the last three weeks, can reason thus, that makes it even more important that we at home also start "pitching with everything we've got. For these are the men who are carrying the fight for us, where the fighting is hottest. That reasoning is clear and correct. Canada needs money now, and we all may be glad of it later. Buy Victory Bonds now.

Daylight Saving

Canada's pretense at having "daylight saving" in the Fall and Winter months has persisted now for so long that some people have forgotten that the clocks once were ahead, and have never afterwards been moved. The plain fact of the matter, however, is that there is little saving if any by advancing the clocks one hour during the dark months of the year. Innumerable war workers and others get up in the dark, go to work in the dark, arrive at plants that must be artificially lighted, and the same process is reversed at the other end of the day. Where is the saving?

It would seem now that the Dominion has begun to question its own remedy; that the Provinces in Canada are being asked concurrently what they think about the matter. British Columbia should give a realistic answer, one that accords with the facts as the public know them to be. Daylight saving is of some help when there is any daylight to be saved. It is a plain and unmitigated nuisance at the "dark" end of the year, neither a saving, nor a help or convenience to anyone.

Far better would it be for Canada as a whole if this nation went on daylight saving time in the proper months—taking even two hours of an advance into account in full Summer—but reverting to sun time when there was no more saving to be had from this arrangement. That is what Great Britain has done, in essence, and it is the logical course. We agree that time alterations should be made on a national basis or else not at all. No one feels the sun, which has its own rounds and keeps to them.

Army School Cadets

Some 1,200 cadets of the Greater Victoria schools will be represented at a church parade on Sunday morning at First Church of Christ, where Major G. H. Hamilton, senior Protestant chaplain for Vancouver Island, will conduct the service. While not the first this will be one of the muster parades of the school cadet corps this season, and an excellent opportunity for the public to see what is being done in that regard. The cadets are those who have undergone some form of army training as part of their regular school routine, and as distinguished from sea cadet and air cadet training, separately handled.

When one considers that a few years ago there were no cadet corps in British Columbia schools, and that this form of training had been allowed to lapse until it was entirely missing from most schools, a parade by several hundred students grouped off in cadet battalions, companies and platoons, is a worthwhile result in human endeavor. Here are boys who will not need to be taught again how to stand erect, and to walk correctly; who will be alert, and "smart" within the meaning of the word; who will have some appreciation of what this country stands for, some knowledge of and some pride in those who have kept her colors flying in the past.

The school cadet battalion, apart entirely from its elementary training in drill, marching and the like, is once more proving a worthwhile asset to the schools. It has found that it develops a boy more in the shape of what the coming man should be. It has taught self-control and discipline, without which life is only a long struggle against immovable obstacles. It has encouraged school spirit, and what is even more valuable, a sound Canadian background. Cadets are not "issies," but alert young men. A word of appreciation to their schools and to their instructors is not only timely, but overdue.

Germany Has No Roof

There have been few more significant reports from the Western front this year than a brief one which stated this week that 2,500 British and Allied planes had "roamed over Germany" at will on Sunday, bombing several dozen targets and returning without losing a single machine. The dispatch described this as "complete mastery of the skyways over Europe," an exaggeration which today is probably only slight. Certain it is that Germany is without any roof, in the form of adequate air defences. The Luftwaffe has been outmatched, outclassed, outfought and outnumbered, until now the enemy's skies are virtually ours.

One likes to think of the men who contributed to that startling and tremendous victory in the West. They were once The Few that gallant band of R.A.F. fighters who defended Great Britain from a rain of lead from the skies. Then they became the many; British Empire, United States and other nationals, each in their own squadrons and groups. Without calling them air heroes as the Germans did, the Allies built up those fleets, sent them ranging and now "roaming" farther and farther afield. New types replaced older machines. Crews and bombloads grew larger, their striking weight more effective. Today in the West, Germany faces the most powerful aerial force in the world, and without more than a skeleton form of defence.

That result is the work not of one, but of many brave men. All too many have given their lives in the process. But, living or dead, their names will go down in history as part of the means by which freedom was reclaimed in the world. Men at sea and men on the ground have played a brave part in this conflict, but without the gallant leadership in the skies no free nation would stand where it does today, at the door of final and complete victory. Marshal Goering may well find room on his tunic for another Iron Cross, but one feels that today that gesture is without much meaning. Germany is roofless, open to the skies, and we hold them through the valor of brave men—living and dead.

Seen in Passing

Rudderless individuals will always be pushed around in this world. Busy human tugs bounding a mission will fuss up to them, take them in tow, use them as buffers against some jetty, and leave them there aground. Large and more powerful human vessels will hoot at them with their whistles, ask them what and what are they doing there, and all but swamp them with their wash. If a rudderless individual finds, by accident, a lee shore the next tide will move him, carry him down-stream, or leave him in the seaway abeam to every wind. But no individual need be rudderless, while he can find so much as one purpose in life, and hold to that.

We shall really grow excited over the motion picture industry when a company arrives in Victoria to make a picture of our sea-serpent, in color of course. Imagine the camel's head. Picture the shining row of scintillating scales on its port and starboard flanks. Fancy the white wash of the wake as Cadborosaurus swam through the blue waters of the Gulf of Georgia, at 30 knots an hour. But there it is impossible. Caddy would never accept a contract, or turn professional!

Oft, in the Stilly Night

Oft, in the stilly night,
Ere Slumber's chain has bound me,
Fond Memory brings the light
Of other days around me.
The smiles, the tears
Of boyhood years,
The words of love then spoken,
The eyes that shone,
Now dimm'd and gone,
The cheerful hearts now broken!
Thus, in the stilly night,
Ere Slumber's chain has bound me
Sad memory brings the light
Of other days around me . . .

—THOMAS MOORE.

Sorrows remembered sweeten present joy.
R. POLLOCK.

Beautiful talk is by no means the most pressing want in Parliament —CARLYLE.

Merchant Marine

FRANK M. KELLEY

Overtures at the present time on the part of shipowners to recognize the organizations of workers skilled in the shipbuilding crafts for perpetuation of the industry are pertinent and timely. The building and repairing of ships and maintaining will assure employment to a percentage at least of the workers attached to ship construction during the war, as well as take care of some of the thousands of ship navigation and cargo handling in the same period.

Canada will need ships in days to come, that is if this country is going to measure up when in part to the capabilities of her people afloat and ashore, as demonstrated in the last five years. With all the experience required in building out fine ships as good as anyone could build, and with men well versed in the best traditions of the sea, it would be just too bad if this country reverted to its prewar 1939, status as a shipless and almost shipperless land, although length of waterfronts would be surpassed by that of any other important state.

Time was when some Little Canadians assumed the poor maritime status of the Dominion to be because the people of the inland provinces for lack of enthusiasm when the subject was ships and shipping. Residents of Ontario, Quebec and particularly the Prairie provinces could not be brought to appreciate what a merchant marine might do for the country. The majority of them had never seen the sea, it was the contention, and therefore did not wait any truck with it. Ships they saw really so, time evidently has altered the outlook and the tune falls any way. It cannot be said now that citizens of Canada's interior cities not broad trending sections know little about and care less for the sea and what its pride might mean.

MANY TRAINED AS CADETS

For years, ever since 1920, the young men, and later the young women, have been trained, some in uniform, many of the former having been already well versed in seaman practices in view of the sea being before the war started. Evidence that this was so was given in the sea in the blood of Canadian youth demonstrated at intervals long before the war broke out has been fully sustained by the remarkable response on the part of Prairie men to the call for service in both the Royal Canadian Navy and for duty aboard vessels of the Allied merchant marine. If it is conceded, it should not be necessary to carry on much publicity throughout inland Canada now to tell the residents how what the sea might mean to a country as a highway of commerce, although it might be good business to embark on a scheme of education such as is already well advanced in the United States.

As is well known, the United States has had its eye end down in a maritime way. Where the population was centred in the New England states, the country had a commercial marine of its own, and shipowners and communities prospered because of it. Similarly, when Canada's population was confined to the Maritimes and the St. Lawrence, the Red Ensign of Canada traded in all ports of the world. Life Canada, with the expansion of the country beyond the smell of salt water, the majority of United States people were said to care little or nothing for the sea. Gradually both countries perceived their commerce to be carried by other countries' ships. The people were not interested evidently in who filled their needs or took away their products.

After the Great War the United States had a considerable merchant marine. The people were not even then in the mood to retain it. Ships were sold or scrapped. Canada came out of the 1914-18 time with some ships, too, but these faded as well because of want of a vigorous policy of education. This time apparently the United States is going to carry on with a big merchant marine, and will, no doubt, be able to say what ships will carry the biggest share of its exports and import cargoes. Canada should be able to do some such thing. With a good crew, capable and plenty available skills to build and man them, this country should carry on a bit on its own initiative and ward. It means prosperous shipyards, which after all is a very important factor in the development of the country. Clackamas with emphasis in this connection is not a bad trail.

TAKING NO CHANCES NOW

Taking no chances on whether the people of the inland states would be for some sea-consciousness, not the brains of the United States Maritime Commission are now conducting a campaign of education throughout the Northwestern States. Part of the argument is

"Maintaining the large merchant marine we are destined to have at the end of the war will be a strong factor in avoiding a postwar depression. Furthermore, America's timeglyding defences, broad expanses of ocean, no longer can be counted upon to provide a breathing spell while we build a merchant marine for another global war as was done at the start of Great War I and Great War II.

"This great fleet of ours is every American's merchant marine and not the private property of any class or group. It is a national asset of the first importance and is worth fighting to protect and preserve. We are constantly planning for the future. The United States war committee which is seeking support of shipping interests, merchants and the general public.

Some such heart-to-heart talks with Canadians might help.

Letters to the Editor

(All letters must be signed by the writer; signatures will be withheld on request. Letters should not exceed 200 words in length. Unsolicited correspondence cannot be returned.)

TRIBUTE TO TOMMIES

Sir,—I think the following extract from a review in The London Times of October 10, 1944, under the heading "The Book of the Week," of Robert Neumann's book, "A Prisoner in Germany," will be of interest to many of your readers:

"This is a remarkable record of the demoralization of the French among after the capitulation in 1940 and of their recovery of confidence and self respect. Life in a prisoner-of-war camp may never be agreeable, and the author has many stories to tell of the merciless cruelties and humiliations to which he and his comrades were subjected. This reformation of the morale among the prisoners was brought about by various factors. The author describes the effect on the dispirited French of a party of British prisoners marching along with heads held high and whistling 'Tipperary.' They bore their dirt and rags magnificently—not like tramps, but like soldiers returning from a battlefield."

This is a fine tribute from a Prenchman to those brave men—there are so many brave deeds these days, but we could perhaps pause for a moment to add our tribute of admiration to those men who marched as gaily and jaunty into a German prison camp with the rumors of defeat and humiliation behind them. Surely that Germany should ever have been so deceived that produces such man, kneel before her!

MARGARET MEADMAN.

1185 Fort Street, Victoria, B.C., October 24, 1944.

A DISCLAIMER

Sir,—In view of the fact that the successful work of the Regional Reconstruction Conference recently held in the city may be placed in jeopardy by the statements made by the chairman of the Joint Labor Conference, I am instructed by the executive of the continuation committee to ask that you publish the following information taken from the records of the conference handed to it by the secretary.

The conference consisted of 181 delegates, representing 108 organizations, no organization had more than two delegates except the Joint Labor Conference, which had eight.

Out of a total of 46 members of the continuation committee which was set up by conference nomination without ballot, 13 were delegates from labor organizations.

The executive committee consisted of a chairman, vice-chairman, secretary and nine other members. Of this total of 12, two are C.C.F. delegates.

A. F. RAYMENT,
Secretary, pro tem.

603 Broughton Street, Victoria, B.C., October 23, 1944.

Valid Ration Coupons

Sugar—Nos. 14 to 29 (Book 3).
Meat—No. 1 to Book 4; canning sugar coupons P1 to P10 (Book 2) (No expiry date).
Butter—Nos 78 to 83 (Coupons become valid in pairs every two weeks).

Tides at Victoria

OCTOBER

Date	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.	Time	Ht.
1	1:14	4.8	7:44	5.1	13:18	4.2	20:34	4.3
2	2:14	4.9	8:44	5.3	14:14	4.3	21:32	4.5
3	3:12	5.0	9:40	5.5	15:10	4.5	22:28	4.7
4	4:10	5.1	10:34	5.6	16:04	4.7	23:22	4.9
5	5:06	5.2	11:26	5.7	16:56	4.8	24:14	5.0
6	5:58	5.3	12:16	5.7	17:46	4.9		
7	6:50	5.3	13:04	5.6	18:34	5.0	1:06	5.0
8	7:40	5.2	13:52	5.5	19:20	5.0	1:54	4.9
9	8:30	5.1	14:40	5.3	20:06	4.9	2:42	4.8
10	9:20	4.9	15:28	5.1	20:52	4.8	3:30	4.6
11	10:10	4.7	16:18	4.9	21:40	4.6	4:20	4.5
12	11:02	4.5	17:10	4.7	22:30	4.4	5:12	4.3
13	11:56	4.3	18:06	4.5	23:24	4.2	6:08	4.2
14	12:54	4.2	19:06	4.4			7:08	4.1
15	1:54	4.1	20:10	4.3	12:30	4.1	8:12	4.1
16	2:56	4.1	21:16	4.3	13:36	4.2	9:16	4.3
17	3:58	4.2	22:22	4.4	14:38	4.4	10:18	4.5
18	4:58	4.4	23:26	4.6	15:36	4.6	11:16	4.8
19	5:54	4.6			16:28	4.8	12:08	5.0
20	6:46	4.8	1:28	4.8	17:16	5.0	12:56	5.2
21	7:34	5.0	2:18	5.0	18:00	5.2	13:38	5.4
22	8:20	5.2	3:04	5.2	18:42	5.4	14:18	5.5
23	9:04	5.3	3:48	5.3	19:22	5.5	14:58	5.6
24	9:48	5.4	4:32	5.4	20:02	5.6	15:38	5.6
25	10:32	5.4	5:16	5.4	20:42	5.6	16:18	5.5
26	11:16	5.3	6:00	5.3	21:22	5.5	17:00	5.4
27	12:00	5.2	6:46	5.2	22:04	5.4	17:44	5.2
28	12:46	5.1	7:34	5.0	22:50	5.2	18:32	5.0
29	1:34	4.9	8:24	4.8	23:40	5.0	19:24	4.8
30	2:26	4.7	9:18	4.6			20:22	4.6
31	3:20	4.5	10:14	4.3	12:38	4.4	21:22	4.3

The times used are Pacific Standard for the 120th Meridian west. It is assumed that the tide flows the full period of the moon's orbit (24 hours 48 min.) so as to eliminate tide water from low water. Low water is the mean low water in the tide rises or falls continuously during two successive tides. Tide rises and falls twice in the depth of water on the sill of the Esquimalt Drydock at any time, and the rise in the depth of dock water as above given.

TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

(From The Daily Colonist of October 26, 1919)

Royalty Visits Royalty—King Alfonso of Spain, whose regular visits to England were suspended during the war, arrived in London tonight. The platform of the station was carpeted and draped, and an informal reception followed the greetings.

FIFTY YEARS AGO

(From The Daily Colonist of October 25, 1894)

The City—The ladies who are looking after preparations for the Jubilee Hospital ball tonight were very busy completing their arrangements, and everything points to the affair being an immense success.

SEVENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO

(From The Daily British Colonist of October 26, 1869)

Savings Bank Appointment—Robert Burnaby has been appointed a commissioner of the savings bank in the Colony

Observation Car

By G.R.

In a Tokio broadcast, picked up and repeated by the B.B.C., it was announced that a Japanese man drinking society presented a rare porcelain bowl to Hatsuzo Hashimoto, German ambassador, to be conveyed to Hitler. The society innocently hoped that the Germans would be promoted to the gentle art of

According to Culbertson

"Dear Mr. Culbertson:

"A furious argument is still raging over the following hand, concerning a point of defence.

"South, dealer

"Both sides vulnerable

NORTH
♠ K
♥ J 8
♦ K J 7 4 3
♣ Q 9 8 3 3

WEST
♠ 7 3
♥ 2 6 3
♦ A K 10 7 6 5
♣ 7 6

EAST
♠ A Q 8 6 4
♥ 10 9 5
♦ 9 2
♣ J 4

SOUTH
♠ K 10 9 7 5 2
♥ K 10 6 2
♦ A Q
♣ —

"The bidding:

South	West	North	East
1 ♦	3 ♣	Double	Pass
2 ♦	Pass	Pass	3 NT
3 ♥	Pass	Pass	Double
Pass	Pass	3 ♠	Double
Pass	Pass	Pass	

"The play: West led club king. South ruffed and laid down spade king. West won and shifted to a diamond. South won with ace and led another trump. East won and returned a diamond. South overtook the queen with the king cashed the diamond jack and then led another diamond. East, expecting his partner to ruff, discarded a heart, but West won out of trumps. Now declarer could discard a third heart on the following lead of diamonds while West ruffed with the high trump. The contract was home.

"Now for East's contentions. He said he had bid two no-trump for the express purpose of boosting South to a point where he could be doubled. He further said that in view of South's three heart bid and, far more important, South's pass to the double of three hearts, it was impossible for anyone but South to have spades and only four hearts; hence, it seemed certain that West had a third spade with which to ruff the fourth diamond. What do you say?"

The spirit of fair play was used by Regimental Quartermaster Bond, No. 172, Canadian Legion, in selecting 15 names to appear on the charter. Names of the 60 charter members were written on slips of paper and the required number were drawn from a hat. Oddly enough, not one of the names of veterans who organized the branch was drawn. "Who was it that said Women can bear pain better than men?" Bill, the Broad Street barber, asked the boss. "Probably the proprietor of a shoe store," the boss chuckled. A schoolboy wrote: "Water is a light-colored wet liquid which turns dark when you wash in it." No person is quite so sure he is right as the man who is entirely wrong. Many automobiles on Victoria streets are commencing to look "trend-here" conscious. Successful business men are those with vision. So far as taxation is concerned, they want revision. A correspondent informed us there is a military camp in the north of Scotland where an office door bears the sign, "This is a free country. You may open or shut your mouth, eats or eyes as you please, but keep this door shut."

Paper is used in 700,000 items needed in prosecution of the war. Rain paper mills require 30,000 tons of scrap paper per month to maintain production.

Sunrise and Sunset

(Times of sunrise and sunset (Pacific Standard Time) at Victoria, B.C., for the month of October, 1944.

Times have been for Pacific daylight time.

Date	Sun-Rise		Sun-Set	
	A.M.	P.M.	A.M.	P.M.
1	6.16	5.59	11.16	5.36
2	6.17	5.57	11.17	5.34
3	6.18	5.55	11.18	5.32
4	6.19	5.53	11.19	5.30
5	6.20	5.51	11.20	5.28
6	6.21	5.49	11.21	5.26
7	6.22	5.46	11.22	5.24
8	6.23	5.44	11.23	5.22
9	6.24	5.42	11.24	5.20
10	6.25	5.40	11.25	5.18
11	6.26	5.38	11.26	5.16
12	6.27	5.36	11.27	5.14
13	6.28	5.34	11.28	5.12
14	6.29	5.32	11.29	5.10
15	6.30	5.30	11.30	5.08
16	6.31	5.28	11.31	5.06
17	6.32	5.26	11.32	5.04
18	6.33	5.24	11.33	5.02
19	6.34	5.22	11.34	5.00
20	6.35	5.20	11.35	4.58
21	6.36	5.18	11.36	4.56
22	6.37	5.16	11.37	4.54
23	6.38	5.14	11.38	4.52
24	6.39	5.12	11.39	4.50
25	6.40	5.10	11.40	4.48
26	6.41	5.08	11.41	4.46
27	6.42	5.06	11.42	4.44
28	6.43	5.04	11.43	4.42
29	6.44	5.02	11.44	4.40
30	6.45	5.00	11.45	4.38
31	6.46	4.58	11.46	4.36

There are more than 3,701 nurses with the Canadian armed forces.

For Kiwanis Planned

Plans for the annual Christmas Seal sale, the proceeds of which will be used in Victoria and district for the rehabilitation of T.B. patients, are already under way, it was announced yesterday by Charles W. Pangman, chairman of the Kiwanis Club seal committee. Members of the committee include representative Greater Victoria businessmen.

All funds raised by Kiwanis are used locally, and those taking part in the campaign are giving their services voluntarily. Both in the United States and Canada, groups of public-spirited man and women are giving freely of their time and energy. That tuberculosis may cease to be a public health problem, Mr. Pangman pointed out.

In giving his formal endorsement to the Kiwanis campaign, Mayor McCavin mentioned the great amount of work that had been accomplished with the money secured by the sale of seals in this area.

7th Victory Loan

Jumble Sale and Fun Fair

Will be held at R.C.A.F. Station "Comox, B.C., on Thursday, October 26, 1944. Donated articles will be gratefully accepted. Phone phone G 7672 and arrangements will be made to pick them up.

Howard L. McDiarmid
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Complete Optometric Service
Examination by Appointment
Phone E 7111

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Marine and Transportation

Air Conference Now Divided For Technical Discussion

MONTREAL, Oct. 24 (CP)—Delegates at the British Commonwealth Air Conference today split up into technical committees, after a short plenary session.

The committees will report to the full conference for discussion on Thursday.

Conversations which entered their second day today, loom up as a link in a pattern of negotiations looking to an orderly development of civil flying between nations in the post-war period.

While the meeting is intertwined with what happens at the forthcoming international meeting at Chicago, it is not a rehearsal for Chicago on a smaller scale.

As the Pacific Ocean is the most important gap in Commonwealth air transportation a good deal of attention will be devoted to it, especially to the light of the desires of the Australian and New Zealand Governments to get services going there.

As an example of what the meeting may do, the Pacific situation provides an instance. If an international agreement provides for mutual free landing rights among participating countries a service could be established by Australia and New Zealand, in anticipation, to Canada and the United States.

Crosses Ocean In Fast Time

MONTREAL, Oct. 24 (CP)—A Canadian-built Mosquito fighter-bomber today made the first non-stop Atlantic crossing of a Mosquito to the United Kingdom. Mosquito KB402, just off the production line in Canada, flew from Gander to Prestwick, Scotland—1,205 statute miles—in six hours 44 minutes.

Off Formosa

This towering cloud of smoke off the Formosan shore entirely conceals a Japanese ship which was struck by a warplane during the raid of October 11 from one of the fast carriers of Admiral Halsey's Third Fleet. The smoke billows, towering probably 5,000 feet or more, concealing and harbor area beyond. Tiny ships and small craft begged in this strike came to 205.

Naval Units Set Fast Victory Loan Pace

Naval units are setting a fast pace in the campaign Royal Roads, the naval college, reported yesterday that it was 15 per cent over its quota.

Highest percentage performance to date is that of the medical store department, H.M.C.S. Given, where a staff containing a Detachment, four ratings and a Wren subscribed $990, or 300 per cent of their quota.

Leading the small ships is the former Fishyman Reserve vessel, H.M.C.S. Talapus, commanded by Lieut. S. Bowerly, R.C.N.V.R., Victoria, with 296 per cent subscribed.

First Fairmile over the top was ML-124, with 184 per cent. ML-069, commanded by Lieut. E. M. Anderson, R.C.N.V.R., Victoria, also soared well over its quota yesterday.

Ship's cooks at H.M.C.S. Naden, canvassed by Chief Petty Officer Fred Sparkes, R.C.N.V.R., yesterday had 130 per cent of their objective.

H.M.C.S. Givenchy shore patrol, heading by Lieut. George Darlow, R.C.N.V.R., Victoria, formerly with the International Police Force in Shanghai, subscribed 120 per cent in the first two days of the campaign.

Rejoin Ship Parts In Record Time

VANCOUVER, Oct. 24 (CP)—Shipyard workers at Burrard Yard, Ship Repairs Ltd., set what is believed to be a world record for the industry when it took them just 18 days to repair a 16,000-ton Liberty ship which broke in two last Winter off the Aleutians. The Wartime Shipping Administration had allowed 20 days for the repairs.

The ship broke in two forward of the bridge during a storm in light heavy weather, but the bulkheads held and both sections remained afloat and were towed into the harbor here.

Expects U-Boats Back in Winter

VANCOUVER, Oct. 24 (CP)—Delegate apparent absence of Nazi submarines in the Atlantic, the enemy's U-boat campaign is not yet over, Rear Admiral V. O. Brodeur, C.B.E., officer commanding, Pacific Naval Command, told a service club meeting here today.

"No doubt our friends the Germans have been doing things over I should not be a bit surprised if the result of their thinking comes to the surface during the Winter months—the worst period that we have to contend with."

During the last year alone, the Canadian Navy's complement had increased by 30 per cent, the speaker said. The Canadian Navy today had facilities for training 30,000 men a year and its bases could dock, repair and refit at least one-third of the Navy's vessels at one time.

Would Re-employ Plant Workers

NEW WESTMINSTER, Oct. 24 (CP)—Re-employment of up to 800 men and women in the Canadian Pacific Airways plant by a United States company engaged in manufacture of airplane parts is a possibility.

Negotiations are now under way between Mayor William Mott, New Westminster, and Hon. C. D. Howe, Minister of Munitions and Supplies, Acting Mayor J. A. Courtney told New Westminster City Council on Monday night.

Due to cancellation of Dominion Government war orders, the C.P.A. plant will cease operations this week, having laid off 1,400 employees since peak production last June.

C.N.R. Official Dies

MONTREAL, Oct. 24 — J. W. Wardlaw, chief of transportation, Canadian National Railways, died in hospital here early this morning after a lengthy illness. John Walter Wardlaw, 62, entered service of the Grand Trunk Railway at Toronto in September, 1902, as a clerk.

Vancouver Forecast

Light winds. Dense fog in low-lying areas disappearing before noon. Cloudy to fair during the afternoon with fog forming after dark. Little change in temperature.

Canadian Squadrons

MONTREAL, Oct. 24 (CP)—Air Chief Marshal Sir Frederick Bowhill, air officer commanding the R.A.F. Transport Command, said today in a press interview that two all-Canadian squadrons for transport action against the Japanese in Burma and other Far Eastern theatres were being formed in India.

Sir Frederick did not give any other details and said the squadrons would be completed shortly and constituted only of air crews.

Plans Sunday Meeting

T. A. Creswell announced yesterday that he had invited members of the police commission and candidates for the commission, mayoralty, City Council and school board to speak at an election meeting in the Chamber of Commerce auditorium at 7:30 o'clock next Sunday night. Mr. Creswell will preside.

MAIL AND SHIPS

COASTING CRAFT

VICTORIA-VANCOUVER — Str. Princess Charlotte or Str. Princess Alice will leave Victoria daily at 1:00 p.m. (by Patricia) and Vancouver daily at 11:00 p.m. Princess Alice will arrive at Victoria daily at 7:45 p.m. from Vancouver. Str. Princess Elizabeth or Str. Princess Joan will leave Victoria daily at midnight for Vancouver. Princess Elizabeth or Princess Joan will arrive Victoria daily at 7 a.m. from Vancouver. Sundays only a special sailing will leave at 11 p.m. Victoria for Vancouver at 6:45 a.m.

VICTORIA-SEATTLE—Str. Princess Charlotte or Str. Princess Alice will leave Victoria daily for Seattle at 8:30 a.m. Princess Charlotte or Princess Alice will arrive at Victoria daily from Seattle at 12:15 p.m. Str. Princess Kathleen will leave Victoria daily at 9:45 a.m. Str. Princess will arrive at Victoria daily from Seattle at 7:30 p.m.

VICTORIA-PORT ANGELES — Str. Princess will leave Victoria for Port Angeles daily at 8:30 a.m. Princess will arrive at Victoria daily from Port Angeles at 4:45 p.m.

SWANS BAY-SALT SPRING ISLAND—Str. Cy Peck will leave Swans Bay for Ganges daily except Sundays at 8:30 a.m. and 1 p.m. Str. Cy Peck will leave Fulford Harbor for Swans Bay daily except Sundays at 11:15 a.m. and 4 p.m.

SAANICHTON-VANCOUVER — Str. Princess Elaine will leave Saanichton for Vancouver daily at 8 a.m. (Sundays only at 7:30 a.m.) 2:45 p.m. and 5:30 p.m. Princess Elaine will arrive at Vancouver daily at 10:30 a.m. (Sundays only at 9:30 a.m.) 4:45 p.m. and 7:30 p.m. Sundays only at 11:30 a.m.

VICTORIA-GULF ISLANDS-VANCOUVER —Str. Princess Mary will leave Victoria at 10:30 a.m. (Tuesday) for Vancouver via Gulf Islands. Str. Princess Mary will arrive Victoria from the Gulf Islands at 6:30 p.m. Mondays.

NANAIMO - GABRIOLA — Mr. Arbutus will leave Chemainus, Pacific Wharf, Nanaimo, daily (except Wednesday) at 8:00 a.m. for Gabriola.

Antwerp Key to Speedy Victory

VANCOUVER, Oct. 24 (CP)—Nothing will contribute more to a speedy victory than the opening of Antwerp port, Hon. Ray Atherton, United States Ambassador to Canada, said in an interview here today.

An honorary degree will be conferred on Mr. Atherton at convocation exercises of the University of British Columbia tomorrow.

"The route is open to carry the supplies to our advancing armies," Mr. Atherton continued. "We know it, and don't forget that the 100,000 picked Nazi troops holding the positions beyond, know it too.

"It is the key to the whole attack Canada has done much already in opening up the ports of Calais and Boulogne, and the liberation of those places has meant much to the Allies," Mr. Atherton said.

He laughed when asked if he thought there was any danger of the Japanese making any attempt even in the form of a "suicide raid," on the Pacific Coast.

"No, we have nothing to fear from them," he said. From the beginning and certainly now there would be a warm reception for any sort of attacking force on the Pacific Coast.

Mr. Atherton said next month he was going to open, at Brown University, Rhode Island, a collection of manuscripts belonging to the library there dealing with the early history of Canada in the 18th, 17th and 14th centuries.

"They are all original papers, diaries and note books of captains of the time of the French explorations," he said.

Russian Drive

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cities as fortresses, in the Aachan manner, and the Russian answer was the same as that of the Americans.

Other Russian armies continued the speedy prosecution of their drive in Southeast Europe.

The Moscow communique announced capture of the big Czechoslovak town and railway station of Hissar (Chust) and ten other centres in the Carpatho-Ukraine district.

In the final sweep to clean up Transylvania, the Russians broke into Baia-Mare, the one remaining important city held by the enemy.

In Hungary the Russians and Romanians advanced northwest of Szeged, capturing the railway junction city of Kiskunhalas, 70 miles south of Budapest, and Janoshalma.

Moscow was silent concerning operations of the 1st Baltic Army, which has surrounded Memel and and pushed within easy artillery range of the East Prussian north border city of Tilsit.

Courageous Woman Traps Huge Eagle

Few are the women who capture eagles with their bare hands, and yet Mrs. J. H. Parham, whose husband has a poultry farm on the Brentwood Estate, did just that.

Carrying a pail of feed across the yard yesterday afternoon, she noticed a commotion amongst the fowl. Mrs. Parham dropped her bucket, and going over to investigate, came across a giant golden eagle which had landed in the yard, apparently to carry off its dinner in the form of a Parham chicken.

She grabbed the eagle by the feet, pulling her arms over its giant wings, and threw it into a vacant chicken run a short distance away.

Mrs Parham admits she wasted no time in the execution of the action.

The eagle screamed when she grappled with it and love up and down within the wire runway, shrieking all the while. She thinks that if it had not been for the opportune arrival of her husband, home from work, it would have beaten its way to freedom.

Mr Parham killed the bird, and found on inspection that the wing spread was more than six feet.

Canadians to Get Needed Supplies

OTTAWA, Oct. 25 (CP)—Canada's 1,800 prisoners of war in Japan will share in the consignment of 1,000 tons of relief food, clothing and medical supplies being picked up October 25 at a Siberian port by a Japanese ship.

The Canadian Government had participated with other Allied Governments in trying to arrange for a shipment which will be the first to reach the prisoners of war in Japan, which accumulated at Vladivostok. A dispatch from Washington today said the Japanese had agreed to send a freighter for the supplies.

"We are very happy about this arrangement," an External Affairs Department spokesman said. "It will provide badly needed supplies to our prisoners in enemy hands."

Climb Mount Baker

In spite of poor visibility and a howling wind, a party including Lieut.-Col. H. Westmorland, $190 and Central Avenue, climbed to the summit of Mount Baker last Saturday, making part of the ascent by lamplight.

Describing the climb on which he was accompanied by Eric Brooks and Harold Graves, Lieut.-Col. Westmorland said they left Mount Baker Ski Club at 6 ab o'clock on Saturday morning, going via Coleman Glacier and Roman Wall, and reaching the summit at 1 25 o'clock in the afternoon.

"From 2,500 feet to 6,000 feet we ascended by lamplight, and came down from 10,750 feet to 6,000 feet in thick mist," he related. Visibility was limited to a few yards, and a terrific wind was blowing across the summit.

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The Annual General Meeting of the Shareholders will be held at the Banking House of the Institution on MONDAY, the FOURTH day of DECEMBER next.

The Chair to be taken at noon.

By Order of the Board,

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L.O.B.P. FUNERAL NOTICE

The officers and members of Virginia Lodge No. 1 are requested to meet at 10th MBS, on Double Street, at 1 p.m. on Wednesday, October 25, to attend the Funeral of our late Brother, Thomas BRITTON. By order of the Noble Grand

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Mrs. R McIntyre, Vancouver, is visiting Victoria, the guest of her sister, Mrs. G. D. Christie.

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Mrs. W. Leigh, Vancouver, was a tea several morning afternoon in honor of Mrs. Colin Graham, Victoria.

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Mrs. O. F Laing and Mrs. Percival McKegow, Vancouver, are spending a few days at Cowichan, V.I.

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Mrs. Jack Rose has returned to Vancouver, after visiting Edmonton and making a brief visit to Victoria.

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Mrs. T. A Walker has arrived from Tweedsmuir Lodge, Bella Coola, and is spending a week with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. W. H Bullock-Webster, Dave Street.

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Mr and Mrs. Alan Aitken are visiting the Coast from Montreal, and are guests at the Empress Hotel until Friday. Mr Aitken is a brother of Lord Beaverbrook.

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Registering at the Empress Hotel on Tuesday were Mr. and Mrs J. L. Jones, also in Windsor, Mr. and Mrs. Jane, Lethbridge, Miss Eugenie Guerry, Lethbridge; Mrs H Murray, Helson, B. Sokolik, Toronto.

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Mrs. Phillip Poage has arrived at the Coast from her home, Blanchard, Que., and is visiting her parents, Dr and Mrs. T. M Jones, Beach Drive. Mr Phillip M Poage will come to Victoria to join his wife at Christmas.

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Mrs K Heddle and her son Sgt. Reginald Heddle, R.C.A.F., Victoria, are spending a few days in Vancouver. On Monday evening they were entertained by Mrs Heddle's son-in-law and daughter, Capt. and Mrs. George Murrell.

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Mrs. Gerald A Yardley has returned to her home in Victoria after spending the past month in Eastern Canada. Mrs Yardley visited her daughter, Mrs. L. Davis, Halifax, and en route home spent a few days in Toronto and Winnipeg.

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Vancouver visitors staying at the Empress Hotel are Capt. Gerald Beard, Mrs E Fraser Allen, Mrs. E. Little, Norman L. Boyd, Mrs A. Brett, Mr and Mrs. A. B. Middleton, Mr and Mrs. W. I. Weldon, Mr. and Mrs. J. R. Harrington.

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American Consul Robert Smyth and Mrs. Smyth were dinner hosts on Tuesday evening at their home on Newport Avenue. Their guests included His Honor Lieutenant-Governor W. C. Woodward, and covers were laid for ten at an attractively arranged table, decorated with yellow and bronze chrysanthemums.

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Honoring Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Barker, on the occasion of their 45th wedding anniversary, a surprise party was held recently at their home on Old West Road. During the evening the couple was presented a mantel mirror by friends and relatives. Cards and dancing were enjoyed.

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Chapter E P E O Sisterhood held a luncheon meeting on Monday at the home of Mrs A P. Lock, 1835 Fort Street, to celebrate the 20th anniversary of the organization of the chapter, the first P.E.O Chapter in Victoria. Following a business meeting members and friends heard an address on "China," delivered by Rev. Dr. W. J. Siggerll

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Mr and Mrs Alex Strath have returned to their home in Victoria after a business trip to Eastern Canada. While in the East, Mrs Strath attended Visiting Housekeepers' Society in Ottawa, Hamilton and Toronto, these being counterpart to Victoria's Home Emergency Service, of which Mrs Strath is superintendent.

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The infant daughter of Lt.-Cmdr. Philip Hughes and Mrs Hughes, Wilmot Place, Oak Bay, was baptized on Sunday afternoon in the library of H.M.C.S. Royal Roads with the naval chaplain, Father Plant, officiating. The baby received the names Dorothy Philippa, Dr. E T. Scott, London, England, for whom Capt. J. M Grant, commanding officer of H.M.C.S. Royal Roads, stood proxy, in the godfather, and the child's sister, Miss Angela Hughes, in her godmother.

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Mrs Winnie Wardman, Bushby Street, and members of Zeta Chapter, Beta Sigma Phi Sorority, entertained nurses at a "combination party, when Miss Edna Raper, radio explain, assisted the hostess in receiving the guests. Miss Vera Waller directed games, and refreshments were served by the rushing committee from an attractively appointed table. Sorority members present were Mrs Jean Levis, Esther Revall, Miss Frances Lea, Helen Oliffand, Kitty Cameron, Rita Rodger, Helen Porter, Edna Middleton, Dorothy Waller, Vera Waller, Joyce Gregory and Edna Raper.

Convening Farmerettes' Box Social

Photo by Kent

MISS KATHLEEN MOLLOY

WHO will convene the annual pack a box supper. This popular social sponsored by the Solarium Junior League promises to be a gay affair to be held at the Youth Centre on Friday. "Farmerettes" will take with prizes for the most interesting box contents, and a floor show featuring Jose Conno, Cuban dancer, and their favorite "farmer" partners and Miss Toeta Williams.

To Attend Fall Congregation

Lieutenant-Governor W C. Woodward left Government House on the Tuesday night for Vancouver, to attend the Fall congregation of the University of British Columbia. This afternoon at 2.45 o'clock ninety students will receive their covered "sheepskins" and scholarships, bursaries, and prizes will be awarded to thirty-eight students.

Hon. Premier and Mrs John Hart left Tuesday night to attend the congregation, also Hon R. L. Maitland, president of Education for British Columbia, and Mrs. Willis; Dr. John M Ewing, principal of Victoria College, and Mrs Ewing.

Representatives of other universities throughout Canada and the United States and recipients of honors at the Fall congregation, and installation of the new president, Dr. Norman A. M. MacKenzie as the University of British Columbia, will be guests at a luncheon at Brock Memorial Building preceding the ceremony. Visitors to the congregation will be entertained at tea afterwards in Brock Memorial, and in the evening a banquet will be held in University Senate, and Mrs J. W. Spencer; Dr. S. J. Willis, Superintendent of Education for British Columbia, and Mrs. Willis; Dr. John M Ewing, principal of Victoria College, and Mrs Ewing.

Dean S. H. Elliott Portrays "Shylock"

Very Rev. Dean Spencer H. Elliott presented "An Evening With Shakespeare" on Tuesday, in the Memorial Hall, to a capacity audience, the proceeds contributing towards the sewing circle of Christ Church Cathedral Women's Parish Guild.

Highlight of the evening was a full-length portrait of the character, Shylock, from "The Merchant of Venice." A sense of true drama, with the beauty of Shakespeare's lines and rhythm were achieved without stagecraft or scenic support. The character of the "merchant" unfolded to reveal the contrast between his tenderness to his daughter, Jessica, and the utter rage at her disappearance and elopement, and between the mindlessness of the moneylender and the dignity of the Jew who is treated with scorn in the trial scene the characters of Shylock, Portia, Antonio and the Duke were enacted in turn, and the dramatic struggle between the conniving merchant and the gentle Portia was presented dramatically and convincingly.

Interspersed between scenes from "The Merchant of Venice" were piano solos by Jean Smith and Marilyn Bacon, two well-known young Victoria pianists. At the opening of the recital, Dean Elliott gave a prayer for the sewing circle and their work, mentioning the element ones overseas, and telling of the 800 articles to Bundles for Britain which had been contributed. As an encore, Dean Elliott presented a scene from Shakespeare's "King Lear." Mr H. L. Robertson presented a vote of thanks.

W.C.T.U. Pound Party

Mrs. R. W Mayhew and Mrs W. G. Wilson will preside at the tea table at the annual pound party to be held at the W.C.T.U. Home, 2317 Ida Street, on Tuesday, October 31. President, Mrs D. C. Sabiston, will receive the guests, and ladies of the board of management will show visitors over the home.

For Brides-Elect

A miscellaneous shower in the form of a "treasure hunt" was given in honor of Miss Betty Thomas, a bride-elect of this month by Mrs A H Vernon, 1141 McKenzie Street, on Tuesday evening. The guests were Mrs. Roy Thomas, Mrs. Robert McKay, Mrs E Rutledge, Mrs. W. Simpson, Mrs. R Duncan, Mrs. Ernest Lark, Mrs L. Browne, Mrs. J. Doran, Mrs. Robert Powers, Mrs. W Murgatroyd, Mrs Richard Potts, Mrs. C. H Vivian, Mrs. Duncan Fowler, Mrs. Frank Pyzzola, Mrs. M Mackay, Mrs Alice Ritchie, Mrs William Butcliff and Miss Bernice Lerik.

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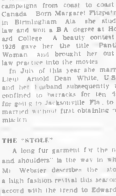

GAIL PATRICK

Noted screen star, who has travelled through Canada in successive Victory Loan campaigns helping local organizations to make a success of their drives, is expected to come to Victoria November 4 but arrangements are not yet final.

With her appearance here Miss Patrick would become the first movie actress to work in Victory Loan campaigns from coast to coast in Canada. Born Margaret Fitzpatrick in Birmingham Ala she studied law and won a B A degree at Hollins College. A beauty contest in 1936 gave her the title "Pandora Woman" and brought her out of law practice into the movies.

In July of this year she married Lieut. Arnold Dean White, U.S.N and her husband subsequently was confined to barracks for ten days for going to Jacksonville, Fla. to get married without first obtaining "permission."

I.O.D.E. Chapters

Royal Bride Chapter, I.O.D.E., will hold a knitting meeting at the home of Miss Stella Cameron, 436 Chester Street, Thursday at 2 o'clock

Weddings

TODD—MAYELL

The marriage of Mary Patricia, elder daughter of Mr and Mrs K Mayell, Cedar Hill Road, and Sgt. Air-Gnr. Harold Todd R.C.A.F. son of Mr and Mrs W Todd, Wood Mountain, Sask. was celebrated by Rev. H McLeod, D.D., in First United Church on Monday evening in a lovely setting of flowers the gift of Mr and Mrs Angus McKay.

A pale blue wool frock with navy accessories and shoulder spray of gardenias and roses, was worn by the bride.

Attending her were Mrs Ella Watson, in a two-tone mauve dress with pink carnations on her shoulder, and Miss Marjorie Crowe in lime, with bronze chrysanthemums and roses. Sgt W Rattan was groomsman, and Sgt R Craig and Pt. Sgt R Galbraith ushered. At the reception in the Duke of Kent Room at the Empress Hotel the toast was given by Mr. A. E. Brain. For a honeymoon at Yellow Point Lodge the bride left in a grey and black ensemble

JENKINS—MOORE

At St. Barnabas' Church on October 14, Rev N. E Smith officiated at the marriage of Lucile Gwendoline Moore, daughter of Mr and Mrs J. C Moore, 1334 Vining Street, and A.B Albert David Jenkins R.C.N.V.R., son of the late Mr and Mrs. B E Jenkins, Victoria.

In the absence of her father, the bride was given away by her uncle, Sgt B Hinds, and wore a floor-length gown of white brocaded satin, a full-length veil held in place by a coronet of orange blossoms, and carried a shower bouquet of pink roses, pink and white carnations and white chrysanthemums. Mrs Juanita Faulkner was matron of honor and Miss Ruth and Miss Nora White were the bridesmaids. Little Colleen Moore was flower girl. Howard Warling, R.C.N.V.R. was groomsman, and Gordon Ellis and Harry Waring, ushers

A reception for relatives and friends was held at the home of Mrs J Paulkner, 2728 Douglas Street, where a four-tier wedding cake was cut by the bride

A brown ensemble, trimmed with fox fur and brown accessories, was chosen by the bride for a honeymoon in Vancouver. The bride will reside in Victoria, and the groom returns to H.M.C.S. Sackville, Halifax

HAIR REACTIONS

Blond hair reacts to humidity contracting and expanding but the reaction of red and brown hair is barely noticeable.

Engagements

Engagement of Wren B I Coleman fourth daughter of Adm L. Coleman and the late W H Coleman, 1522 Pandora Avenue to Robert John McLane, son of the late F J. Lane of Vancouver. Wedding will take place on November 18 at 8 o'clock, at First United Church

Mr G. F Tanner Keating V.I announces the engagement of his niece, Cleary Victoria, only daughter of the late Mr. and Mrs H E Forbes to Capt Thomas Andrew Forbes, R.C.O.C., youngest son of Mrs C. J Forbes, 779 Queens Avenue and the late Andrew F Forbes. The wedding will take place at Kingston, Ont. in November.

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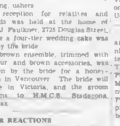

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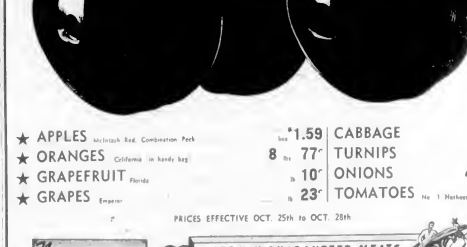

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Clubs and Societies

W.A. to P.P.C.L.I. will hold a meeting Friday evening at 8 o'clock at the Y.W.C.A.

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W.A. to Channel Islands' Society will hold a meeting on Thursday at 2.30 p.m., at 625 Fort Street.

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W.A. to Lustrous Society of Victoria meeting was held Monday at the Nurses' Home, Mrs. E. W. Neil, presiding. Hand-made articles were received for the showcase which, it was reported, netted $11 last month. Mrs. S. R. Kirkham reported since August 7, 246 new articles have been made for the hospital, and the mending is progressing satisfactorily. The librarian reported a cash donation from a patient, and new books bought. Magazines donated by Mrs. W. R. Smithe and Mrs. J. L. Louter, as well as several anonymous gifts of books and magazines. Mrs. T. Sapiliteen, hospital matron, who attended the recent meeting of the B.C. Hospitals Association, reported on various British Columbia Auxiliaries. Annual community bazaar is set for the hospital will be held December 5.

Spencer's Club Elects Officers

William E. Bond was elected president of the Spencer's Sports and Social Club at the 11th annual meeting and banquet of that organization held Tuesday night in the Chamber of Commerce auditorium. Other officers elected were A. Henderson, vice-president, E. Miller, second vice-president; Miss Frances Bateman, secretary, and Ray Mitchell, treasurer.

An estimated 250 attended the program of entertainment and dance held later in the evening. Election of officers was held following a banquet when reports of various committees were presented.

Feature of the one-hour entertainment show was the "modern moods on the piano," piano solos by Vera Crichton. Well received was the magician act staged by Ernie and Audrey Crockford. Dancers from Wynn Shaw's School of Dancing, taking pack were Patsy Sparks, Bayview Loft, Diana McPherson and Agnes Richards.

Thelma Coats and Catherine Dennison presented solos, and comedy skits by Norman Tyrell, Hedley Sampson and Catherine Craig added much to the enjoyment of the evening. P.O. Mickey Francis was master of ceremonies. At the head table were Miss Sara Spencer; J. Barnes, store director of Spencer's Ltd., H. Street, sales manager, and Capt. T. Row.

Earlier in the program, Les Priest and Bert Simpson were each presented with wallets as signs of appreciation for the work they have done in connection with the club.

P.-T. Associations

Monterey P.-T.A. held a meeting Tuesday night in the auditorium when Dr. A. F. Whitehouse spoke on "Home, Thy Father and Thy Mother." Mr. R. Dilchburn spoke of the forthcoming Hallowe-en party to be held in the auditorium on Tuesday, October 31. Mrs. L. R. Harper presided.

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Oaklands P.-T.A. will hold a sewing meeting at the home of Mrs. L. A. Gordon, 1954 Ash Street, on Thursday, commencing at 2 o'clock.

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The Victoria and District Parent-Teacher Council holds its first weekly radio broadcast today at 5:30 p.m. over CJVI. A sketch, entitled "Why Dramas in the High School" will introduce Maple L. Bullock, Webster, director of school and community drama, Department of Education. Miss Margot Gordon and Richard Martin, of Oak Bay High School.

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Newlywends include Phona Margaret Taylor and Sub-Lt. Rupert Monckton, R.C.N.; Aletia Mildred Hopkins and Able Seaman Wellington Eva Smith and Pte. R. Frank Nicholson, U.S.A.A.F.; Florence Ethel Harper and A.B. Harold Kenneth Avery, R.C.N.V.R.; Pam Beatrice Atkinson and L.Sergt. M. Harry Gregory Shaky, R.C.N.V.R.; Brenda Mary Woodward and P.O. John David Duncan, R.C.A.F.

Sub-Lt. Jack Gibbs, R.C.N.V.R., is due home on leave after 18 months' service with the R.C.N. on the Atlantic. Only son of Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Gibbs, 1710 Rockland Road, Sub-Lt. Gibbs is well known in local Rugby circles, having played with the Royal Canadian Naval College, 1942-1943 provincial champions, and with Victoria "Reps" from 1941 to 1943.

L.A.C. William Tuthill, R.C.A.F., is spending leave with his mother, Mrs. R. R. Tuthill, 321 Robertson Street. Stationed in Edmonton, he is training as a wireless air gunner. L.A.C. Tuthill, 18, enlisted 11 months ago.

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Former students and friends of Professor Percy H. Elliott, late principal of Victoria College, are reported to be responding generously to the appeal for funds to establish a permanent scholarship in his name. A total of nearly $1,200 has been received in less than two weeks.

The present war has served as a definite stimulant in the opening of the northern territories of Canada, and within the not too distant future many significant developments will take place in that area, according to Mr. Henry A. Lacon, R.C.M.P., Victoria's famed Arctic explorer, who returned home after completing a voyage through the Northwest Passage in the record time of 46 days. He is captain of the R.C.M.P. Ma 81 Roch.

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Vancouver Island subscriptions to the Seventh Victory Loan, paved by several over-the-top declarations, neared the $500,000 mark the opening day of the campaign, exclusive of subscriptions by large firms and business enterprises. Quota for the Island is $9,680,000.

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Premier John Hart, Minister of Finance, boosted British Columbia's holdings of Victory Bonds to $50,000,000 when he signed an application for $7,000,000 of the Seventh Loan issue.

Sub Lieut. Jack Gibbs, only son of Mr. and Mrs. P. A. Gibbs, 710 Island Road, has arrived home for leave after 18 months service with the navy on the Atlantic.

Lieut. Ralph J. Cosier, of the 1st Battalion, Canadian Scottish Regiment, was wounded in France. His wife, Mrs. Joyce C. Cosier, lives at 4 Ho. 3, Ordnance Avenue. Cosier is a well-known Victoria athlete. Extent of wounds is not yet known.

Charges against Victoria's police made by Rev. Dr. Hugh McLeod in a sermon at St. Andrew's Church led to a special meeting of the police commission at which heads of the police force denied some of the charges and told of difficulty in obtaining convictions in regard to vice. His sermon was entitled, "I Take the Lid Off Victoria's Night Life."

The Royal Canadian Army Cadets of Victoria will shortly hold their first church parade of the year, at the First United Church. Major T. Hamilton, assistant judge-advocate of Pacific Command will take the service and the mayor and City Council have been invited to attend.

What started six years ago as the task of new forces psychologist to investigate Douglas fir diseases on the Island, has grown into the Dominion Forest Pathological Laboratory in the Belmont Building with a staff of six doing important work on defence in aircraft spruce and other war materials.

Advised that Hon. Norman Mackenzie, Secretary of State had indicated any portion of Malina to return to standard time was at liberty to do so, Premier John Hart suggested the question might be considered by the Provincial Cabinet.

Frederick Rough, Bernard Howard and Clement H. Wright, Victoria employees at H.M.C. Dockyard, Esquimalt, charged with conspiring to defraud the Dominion Government by falsifying time sheets for overtime, were remanded in court. Their counsel asked for time to obtain particulars of dates, places and documents involved in the charges.

VETERAN BUYS BONDS

Among early purchasers of Victory Bonds in Victoria was a veteran who lost both his legs in the last war and whose two sons have been serving four years in this war, one in the army and one in the navy. He bought a $100 bond.

C.C.F. CLUB TO MEET

Victoria Central C.C.F. Club will meet in Woodworth Hall, 881 Fairfax Avenue, at 8 o'clock tonight.

War Brides Will Arrive Saturday

Four wives of Victoria men now serving overseas will arrive in Vancouver at the end of the week, en route to this city.

Mrs. Winnifred Jones, who was married to Private W. A. Jones, 8th Canadian Infantry Brigade, on February 6, 1943, at Emery Down Church, Lyndhurst, New Forest, Hampshire, will, on arrival here, stay with Mrs. A. Jones, Happy Valley.

Mrs. Elizabeth Whipman, the former Elizabeth Foster, was married August 26, 1943, at Battersea, to Craftsman Ronald J. Whitman, one of the "D" Day defenders, wounded August 16 and now convalescing in a Red Cross hospital in England. Mrs. Whitman will stay with Mrs. E. Rose, 1330 Pandora Avenue.

Mrs. Peggy Smith and her two small daughters, has come to stay with her mother-in-law, Mrs. L. Smith, 2421 Curtis Road. Mrs. Smith was married four years ago to Staff-Sergeant Gerald Leslie Digby Smith, R.C.E.M.E. at Bicester, England. Being with her husband's family will bring consolation to Mrs. Smith, who lost her home by a robot bomb and was billeted in a room in Yorkshire.

Mrs. Ayon Parker, with her two children, will arrive in Vancouver Sunday morning.

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TODAY and THURSDAY: 2 BIG ENTERTAINMENT HITS! "WHEN AT SEA" Romance Adrift 11:26, 2:35, 5:37, 8:35

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Rail Link Would Serve Far North

Possibility of a railway connection between the United States and Alaska via the Okanagan Valley is British Columbia's request to be under study at the Legislative Buildings, Premier John Hart, who will visit the Okanagan shortly, is understood to be considering the possible relation of the provincially-owned Pacific Great Eastern Railway.

The suggested link would be from Hazelton, on the International Boundary south of Prince Rupert, through the Okanagan to Sicamous, west to Savona, north to Clinton and over the P.G.E. to Quesnel Extension of rail lines from Quesnel to Prince George, north to Dawson Creek and into the Peace River would be necessary. It is suggested a connection from the Peace River to Alaska might be built by the United States Government, which was said several years ago to be interested in such a line.

Red Cross Notes

Lake Hill Red Cross Unit will hold a Country Fair on Wednesday, November 1, in the Community Hall.

By the end of this year, members of British Columbia Red Cross work units will have contributed nearly 120,000 articles of civilian clothing for bombed-out civilians in England reports Mrs. H. A. Ramsden, provincial war work chairman for the Red Cross. In addition they will also have made 442,000 surgical dressings 38,180 hospital supplies and 71,850 items of service knitting.

Medium for distribution of Canadian Red Cross supplies in bomb victims, is through its overseas headquarters relief department in London. Allocation of relief goods has become big business and there are 14 warehouses scattered through England which houses the immense supply of clothing.

An average hospital order asks for complete outfits for 24 women, 12 men, six girls, six boys and two infants. Sometimes only a few hours notice is given and then volunteer Red Cross workers rebelly get busy. This despatchment made a record recently when 400 outfits were sorted, packed and delivered to six hospitals within six hours. All garments carry the Canadian Red Cross label.

Consistence and courage will carry a young man far along the road which contains few regrets.

W.A. to Children's Aid

Mrs. J. Stephenson, 1009 Fernwood Road, was hostess to members of the W.A. to the Children's Aid Society, Monday afternoon. Miss Rae Kirkpatrick, superintendent of the society and Mrs. George J. Alexander, president of the W.A. assisted Mrs. Stevenson in receiving the members.

An opportunity was provided to view the new No 1 Receiving Home, which the children of from six years of age are cared for. Bright, airy, cheerful rooms and an efficient matron give a homelike atmosphere.

Members decided that the 140 children in foster homes should each have the usual Christmas gift, 38 to be defrayed by members of the W.A. and $60 voted to purchase the others required.

Assisting in furnishing the new No. 3 home will also be undertaken by the W.A. This new home is for children of pre-school age.

An encouraging financial statement was given by Mrs. W. G. Thorpe, treasurer. Mrs. A. E. James, chairman of the purchasing committee, reported beds, bedding and other necessities bought for Homes 1 and 2. Mrs. T. Hartnell, convener of the sewing, stated the need of much work to be done in this line, and with a plentiful supply of goods from the recent material shower, workers will be welcomed. Mrs. Hartnell is convener (G 6483). Mrs. C. L. Bowsed reported the work of the society for the month and Mrs. G. Brown for Local Council.

Will Speak Friday

Dr. Winnifred C. Cullis C.B.E., D.Sc., L.L.D. of London, England, will speak at the Women's Canadian Club, on "Travels in China and Japan," at the Empress Hotel, Friday afternoon. Her travels under the British Information Services, took her to China, Japan, Malaya and the Dutch East Indies in 1940-41. She has also visited Australia and New Zealand since the war began and has lately been head of the Women's Section of the British Information Services in the United States.

Dr Cullis is well known in educational and medical circles. She was president of the International Federation of University Women, 1936-39, director of Time and Tide, chairman of the education panel of the British Film Institute, guest of the South Australian Government at the centenary celebrations in 1936, delegate to the silver jubilee of Indian Science Association in Calcutta in 1937. In 1941 Dr Cullis was appointed professor emeritus of physiology at the University of London, on retiring from Sophia Jex-Blake Chair of Physiology, London Royal Free Hospital School of Medicine for Women.

Beaver Club Dance

Beaver Club members entertained at a dance Thursday night at the Crystal Garden when serviceman from Pat Bay were guests of honor. Under convenership of Mrs. Ethel Donaldson the following committee assisted in making the affair a marked success. Miss M. Crosby, Miss L. Pulton, Miss B. McNichol, Mr. C. Walton, Mr. J. Watt, Mr. J. Walton and Mr. C. Bent.

Hostesses convened by Miss Marie Crossley, were Beaver Club members, and judge for prizes for dancing was Mr. E. Donaldson. Waltz winners were Miss Maude Renwick and P. J. Balagno.

Proceeds from the affair will be devoted to Beaver Club war work, for comforts for boys and girls from The Bay who are serving overseas, for Navy, League of Canada, Overseas Tobacco Fund and Solarium.

At the Theatres

'Going My Way' Is Feature at Atlas

A combination hard to surpass will result in one of this season's finest pictures being shown today at the Atlas Theatre when Paramount's "Going My Way" will open in a blaze of glory. The combination consists of a superb story, delicate direction by Leo McCarey, who also produced the film and a pair of screen pirouts in the persons of Bing Crosby and Barry Fitzgerald.

Perhaps the most remarkable thing about "Going My Way" is its simplicity. In the warm, moving characterizations by all members of the cast, pathos, comedy and whimsical humor plus a large part. Rise Stevens, Met opolitan opera star, lends her singing talents with a rendition of the Habanera aria from "Carmen," while the Robert Mitchell chorus joins her and Bing in several choral numbers.

"The Sign of the Cross" Coming Here on Friday

Claudette Colbert was so set on picking Empress Poppaea in Cecil B. DeMille's "The Sign of the Cross" when Paramount first started production on this great spectacle that she demanded a screen test. Results proved Claudette was the best possible choice for the role.

The modernized production of "The Sign of the Cross" arrives on Friday at the Dominion Theatre with Fredric March, Claudette Colbert, Charles Laughton and Elissa Landi as starring players.

CADET Blazed together for the first time in sun and romance, Ann Sothern and Robert Sterling, who are joining in "A Guy Named Joe" at the Cadet Theatre, Friday.

DOMINION Richard Arlen and Russell Hayden now appear as members of a crimeless crew show how they clear the ocean of deadly enemy U-boats in Paramount's thriller "Mine-sweeper" now at the Dominion Theatre. The picture is based on the daring and dangerous mine disposal operations of the navy. Jean Parker is the girl in the case.

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Amusements ON THE SCREEN

Atlas—"Going My Way" starring Bing Crosby.

Capitol—"The White Cliffs of Dover" featuring Irene Dunne and Alan Marshall.

Dominion—Richard Arlen and Jean Parker in "Minesweeper."

Oak Bay and Plaza—Summer Storm," starring Linda Darnell and George Sanders.

Rio—Fred MacMurray and Patricia Morison in "Rangers of Fortune."

York—"Only Angels Have Wings," Cary Grant, Jean Arthur, Grant and Jean Arthur.

credits in M-G-M's tribute to the men in the Air Force in A Guy Named Joe which ends tonight at the Theatre Cadet. In the cast include Van Johnson, Irene Rich, Barry Nelson, Esther Williams and Gladys George.

CAPITOL For the first time in theatre more than twenty-five years, Director Clarence Brown and Emily Pitzon are together as director and actress. She played the heroine Bernice in "Trail of '98," and now in an Eagle Lion release of Brown, "The White Cliffs of Dover" starring Irene Dunne with Alan Marshal as the Capitol Theatre.

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WITH JACKIE COOPER GAIL STORM

RIO

MACHINISTS WITHDRAW

Victoria Branch of Lodge 756, International Association of Machinists, employing Boeing workers here, is the most recent of several organizations to withdraw from the conservation committee of the Vancouver Island Regional Rehabilitation Conference held here recently. Vancouver Island Joint Labor Conference, sponsor of the rehabilitation meeting, withdrew its support of the committee a week ago. The Family Welfare Association and the Army and Navy Veterans were among other groups to follow.

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Syd Howe Ready For 15th Season

Veteran Detroit Forward Is Prepared For Another Campaign—Note From Camps

DETROIT, Oct. 24 (CP)—A sports enthusiast from the Southern United States attended a recent exhibition game featuring Detroit Red Wings, now preparing for the National Hockey League campaign, and took a particular liking to one slim forward. "Who's that kid out there?" he asked. "He looks like a real comer."

The "kid" was 31-year-old Sydney Harris Howe, better known as Syd, who now is embarking on his 15th season in the N.H.L. and has been one of the leading point-getters for the Red Wings ever since he came here early in the year 1936-37 season from the now defunct St. Louis Eagles.

In many respects, Howe's 14th season in the N.H.L. was his best. He scored 22 goals to bring his lifetime total to 218. Only ten other players have topped the 200-goal mark in the league and only one other, Aubrey (Dit) Clapper of Boston Bruins, is still playing Clapper's total is 218.

It was the first time in Howe's career that he topped the 20-goal mark. He set an all-time N.H.L. record by scoring six goals in one game last year and he stood fifth among league-point-getters with 49.

Howe started his professional career in his native city of Detroit with the old Senators in the 1929-30 season. The next year he was in Philadelphia Quakers and when they dropped out of the N.H.L. in 1931 he dropped out, too, going to Syracuse in the International League for the only season of minor hockey. He went back up to Senators and went right along with them when the Ottawa franchise was transferred to St. Louis.

Bowling

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P.A.T. LEAGUE STANDINGS

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Team No. 1—Jones, 204; Bailey, 184; Team No. 5—L. Lidstone, 188; E. Taylor, 189; A. Bailey, 184; Wood, 207; J. Jones, 224 handicap; 240 Total, 1,036.

Team No. 3—E. Barkwith, 190; Jones, 180; J. Mooney, 188; B. Cox, 200; Bailey, 208 handicap; 240 Total, 1,026.

Team No. 2 was then

Team No. 1 over Team, 187; Fraser, 184; M. Pitchell, 180; B. Griffin, 187; Jones, 208; handicap, 240 Total, 1,046.

Team No. 5—L. Jones, 187; R. Wilson, 184; Bailey, 184; Wood, 207; J. Jones, 224 handicap; 240 Total, 1,026.

Team No. 3 ties Jones

YOW MEMORIAL FIELDERS LEAGUE

Mitchell, 184; Wilson, 188; Wood, 188; Bailey, 184; Jones, 188; handicap, 240 Total, 1,064.

Mooney, 184; Cox, 177; Barkwith, 188; Griffin, 184; handicap, 240 Total, 1,064.

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Heading Home in the Second at Aqueduct

Pollanator (11), With Jockey Longden in the Saddle, Leads the Pack by Four Lengths at This Turn for the Home Stretch But Was Outrun and Finished Third. Powerhouse, Piloted by Jockey Arcaro, Came In to Win This Contest and Paid a Lucrative $22.00. Nebraska Finished Second.

Is Voted Most Valuable Player

ST. LOUIS, Oct. 24 (CP)—Bill Dickey, veteran 35-year-old rookie outfielder of the St. Louis Browns, has scored most of the season with the Toledo Mudhens, today was named the American Association's most valuable player by The Sporting News national baseball weekly.

Dickey received 47 votes to 27 for Johnny Wyrostek, the Cardinals' Columbia farm hand who now is in the army. Dickey was regular American Association reserve. Mission batted .296 in 114 games.

Fighting Irish Is Leading Team

NEW YORK Oct 24 (CP)—For the 19th consecutive time over a ten-year period the Notre Dame football team ranks as the United States No. 1 college eleven in The Associated Press poll but this time the train margin is a more slight priority.

Notre Dame, unbeaten this season gathered 40 first-place votes and 819 points. Army, likewise unscathed finished with 800 points.

The leading teams on a point basis with each first-place vote 10 points, second nine, third eight and so on (third-place votes in parenthesis):

Notre Dame 40—817; Army, 1(8)—800; Randolph Field (2)—632; Ohio State (14)—596; Georgia Tech 585; Navy-Flight 347; Tulsa 289; Pennsylvania 286; Texas Christian Pre-Flight 166; Purdue 73.

Palmer Scores Quick Knockout

BROOKLYN (AP)—Jimmy Garrison, New York welter, 151½, by a technical knockout over Benny Miller, New York, in 68 seconds of the second round at the Brooklyn arena tonight.

In the semi-final, Phil Palmer 141½, Vancouver B.C. won by a technical knockout over Mal Denmark, 142, Allentown, Mass. in 2:28 of the third round.

ART ROSS MEETS SON

QUEBEC Oct 24 (CP)—Lt. Arthur Ross, R.C.A.F. arrived here today with his wife to meet his father, Alexander Ars R.C.A.F. Both Britons now training in Quebec.

Pl. Lt. Ross crashed in France last June and was reported killed. He later escaped German regime by disguising himself as a Maquis woodcutter.

May Name Successor

Leslie O'Connor May Succeed Landis

NEW YORK Oct 24 (CP)—Bill Dewey or Roosevelt on November 7, will be appointed the newly-created President of the United States will be called upon to name a second commissioner of baseball to succeed K. M. Landis decline another term.

One of the articles of the agreement that set up the office of the mound czar in 1921 contains a section reading that "in the event of failure to elect a successor within three months, either major league may request the President of the United States to designate a commissioner."

Although Judge Landis is reported in improved health after being in hospital and dubbing his first world series since taking office the distinguished ex-jurist will be 78 on November 20 and magnates have given no indication thought in the problem of naming a successor.

It has been rumored that the commissioner would prefer to see Leslie M. O'Connor, his secretary, move into the chair when and if he gives it up. However, there is much opposition to O'Connor among baseball men who have clashed and contends have been investigated by the secretary.

Jim Farley and Generals Douglas MacArthur and George Marshall have been mentioned as possibilities but there appears to be no general agreement making a presidential decision more and more probable.

The problem may be clarified at the December meetings when commissioner named to serve on a permanent major agreement will be.

RONI SES FOR GRIDDERS

PHILADELPHIA Oct 24 (AP)—Ten rookies from Philadelphia Eagles of the National Football League are getting their inspiration the easy way tomorrow when they see the Philadelphia bills the management announced today.

Details of a bonus system for extraordinary efforts were revealed for the first time. There are some of the feats that pay:

Each tackle inside the rival 20-yard line $10, each pass interception $10, each pass interception from which the Eagles score without any kick, $10, each recovery of a opponent's fumble $10, each blocked kick, $10, each recovery of a blocked kick, $10, each touchdown, $5 for every Philadelphia player on the field.

"Lady in Red" Is Wagering $12,000 But Never "Tips"

BALMAC, N.H. Oct. 24 (AP)—New England's mysterious lady in red, who has been known to place winning bets wagers of $12,000 on a horse race, has never tipped a pari-mutuel cashier.

But, according to William Webb, president of the pari-mutuel system at Rockingham Park, the lady has been known to reward a clerk at the $100 window with a tenth that cashier one of her spectacular wagering gifts.

Webb who he confessed on own investigation, since the lady's betting claim has caused a minus pool and thrown the track for a loss says she is a dark-haired little person of about four feet ten with a record of 18 consecutive winning show wagers for a profit of $16,000 in the last ten weeks.

Webb believes her to be a Revere, Mass., housewife.

Quebec Senior Loop Continues

MONTREAL Oct 24 (CP)—Decision by officials of the Quebec senior Hockey League to continue operations this season probably will be made with the desire of Montreal Canadiens to keep as many players as possible close to home in case emergencies call for reinforcements during the 1944-45 National Hockey League campaign.

With Montreal Royals operating in the Q.S.H.L. the surplus players who have been turned up from Canadiens' camp will be kept from reporting to other teams in the Ottawa, Hull, Quebec, Three Rivers and Valleyfield circuit, which will in effect be the N.H.L. farm system.

Bay Meadows Racing

BAY MEADOWS Oct 24 (Results forty-seven furlongs)

FIRST SADDLE—Fortune, 112, Gonzalez, 4 to 1, 2 to 1, Antarctic, 112, Longden, 3 to 1, Sun Lad, 112, Mehrtens, 3 to 1, Time 1:48 1-5.

SECOND SADDLE—Sunbeam, 112, Longden, 3 to 1, Mr. Mike, 112, Gonzalez, 3 to 1, Bulldog Drive, 112, Mehrtens, 3 to 1, Time 1:48 1-5.

THIRD SADDLE—Bonny Lass, 112, Longden, 3 to 1, Tiger Flame, 112, Gonzalez, 3 to 1, Bull Ring, 112, Mehrtens, 3 to 1, Time 1:48 1-5.

FOURTH SADDLE—Sun Beam, 112, Longden, 3 to 1, Tiger Flame, 112, Gonzalez, 3 to 1, Bull Ring, 112, Mehrtens, 3 to 1, Time 1:48 1-5.

FIFTH SADDLE—Bonny Lass, 112, Longden, 3 to 1, Tiger Flame, 112, Gonzalez, 3 to 1, Bull Ring, 112, Mehrtens, 3 to 1, Time 1:48 1-5.

SIXTH SADDLE—Bonny Lass, 112, Longden, 3 to 1, Tiger Flame, 112, Gonzalez, 3 to 1, Bull Ring, 112, Mehrtens, 3 to 1, Time 1:48 1-5.

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GRIDDERS TO TRAIN

A full schedule of the Canadian football team which will face the American around from Blaine is expected to be released by Commissioner Phil Phillips at 8 o'clock. It is rumoured a check will be made by St. Louis College at the same hour.

SPORTS IN HOLLAND

KINDHOVEN, Holland Oct 24 (CP)—Association soccer games and field hockey matches are being played in this liberated Netherlands city each Sunday, between Dutch and Allied military teams. Receipts go to bombing victims.

Rugby Games Set This Afternoon

Two intermediate matches will be held this afternoon, one at the Oak Bay Junior Football Club grounds where the Black-and-gold rugby team will clash with Alumni of the Naval College, with Bill Gaunt handling the whistle. This match will commence at 3:45. Victoria College and Oak Bay High School will tangle in the other fixture on the latter's home field at 4:30, Jack Gillespie in charge. These teams were booked to play in the preliminary game at Macdonald Park on November 11, but officials switched it.

Last night in the Senior Victoria High-Hunter, Lea, Clegg, Barton, Spalding, Dalton, Coleman, Quail, Chipman, Cullin, Dobbie, Cameron, Cathro, Fleming, Pogman, Lott and Langdon.

Naval College—Mullan, Phillips, Mitchell, Hampson, Wiley, Dawson, McMillan, Hyatt, McCrimmon, Tetley, Zimmerman, Blackburn, Birch, Jones and Hunter.

Billy Conn Is on Tour

By BILL PELPER
Associated Sports Correspondent

BARI, Italy, Oct. 24 (AP)—Billy Conn, Pittsburgh's world heavyweight boxing champion, is touring tour of the armed services, in Mediterranean theatre of war, tonight.

Most notable change in Mr. Conn is that he's grown up to be a heavyweight. The Pittsburgh pretty boy who could't quite make it in the civilian, has added inches to his chest, shoulders and waistline during the Air Corps. He now tips the beam at 190.

The British and American troops who polished the massively historic three decade old Roman theatre here, Mr. Conn played a game on them. Billy's California cousins for three years.

Billy's limelit, as a result, which is only barely being eclipsed by his wife's few weeks ago, exhibited the same lack of boxing skill that Conn still moves around like a guy with a double bottom pail. Billy has a left hand that can upset a piece of chicken; need at five paces.

Conn's exhibition here in Lieut. Maury Rickards of San Francisco, his here for a two-week tour of Italian war front bases after a trip around England which started as a bombardier navigator and finally required three months.

Sport Snapshots

By SYD THOMAS
Canadian Press Staff Writer

TORONTO, Oct 24 (CP)—That the Canadian Football Rugby Union and Ontario Rugby Union officials are apparently had exchanged the blue ribbon from a diplomatic point of view although football followers outside the two rugby clubs appear interested in the West high school football playoff in Ontario.

We see by the public prints that the Ontario Rugby Union is in good improvement of the Pre and pre-Flight study and seek ways to overcome the difficulties of rugby in Eastern and Western Canada. The Western rugby clubs have many points of the Eastern game. While Parkin Stadium and the Toronto Argonauts were in Ottawa, impressed with the lean and kicking rule of the Eastern game.

Let the youngsters get together and the Western rugby rules will affect the understanding their elders have been straying to from the game.

The Ontario Minor Hockey Association is practically a training school for Ontario's Junior Leaf. Will no less than six former minor players from all the Ontario Board comp. Besides the three boys from Toronto, Gerry Kennedy of Port Colborne, Bill Ivan of the Ontario to route champions in Tillsonburg and Vern Kay, Kew Beach of Toronto, Pat Burns and Don Burns of Kirkfield, Ontario St. Mary, Dean Mc-Bride and Eric Hawes from St. Catharines, London and Ingersoll Dominion Junior Juvenile. A winners and Ted Singer of Copper Cliff North, Ontario midget champ.

CANADIAN CLIPS

Here's a new name for NHL lovers at the rink. Al Mancini Herald Publication Training Plan has a network for Montreal Canadiens and Montreal Wings with the best grading of modern hockey because he was a member of the year of the red line. Wings they did not lose, no-sen game set to twine time. It was hence scoring shins last year. Will that add goals scoring? Wings, Canadiens they're talking about rattling together two such million dollarism who have been offered contract to play hockey in the United States. Nation, mentioned prominently are Doug Bentley of Chicago Black Hawks, Brian Bentley of New York Rangers. They would be given good-no-strike wage jobs in Vancouver and offer a split of the gate receipts. It's said.

WILL COACH THE NAVY

WINNIPEG Oct 24 (CP)—Lieutenant Reginald Hardwood, former Montreal Maroons and Chicago Black Hawks star, has been appointed coach of Navy in the Winnipeg Intermediate Hockey League. It was announced today. North-of-Superior Winnipeg Rangers where they won the Memorial Cup in 1941.

Local Cagers to Start Saturday

Victoria High School Gymnasium to Be Scene of Games—Interest Is High

Opening of the 1944-45 basketball season is set for the coming Saturday at the High School gymnasium, with three games in the senior divisions carded. Officials and players gathered at a well-attended meeting on Monday evening when final plans for the coming season were laid and plans for forthcoming arranged for.

Well over 100 players turned out at the meeting and were enthusiastic in promising the executive complete cooperation during the coming campaign. Season tickets to go on sale at the nominal sum of $1, were handled out to the players, who are acting as salesmen, in an effort to help raise the amount considered necessary to see the league through the year.

A total of 12 teams in the various sections have entered the competition in what promises to be a successful comeback of the cage sport here. Much interest in league play will centre in the senior B division where titles have been held since against are entered—Navy Toons, Victoria and Alton based title-holders in the past season.

New supplies have been obtained for every league, in addition to an special awards to go to individual players. There is a cup for the player voted most valuable in his team, one for the most improved junior player, one for the highest scorer during the season, boy drawing the least number of personal fouls and one each to the boy and girl scoring the most free throws.

Negotiations are being continued with United states college clubs to appear here for exhibition games with the strong R.C.A.F. quintet from Pat Bay and the outlook for a series of good matches is excellent. Both the Universities of Washington and Oregon have shown a decided interest in appearing here and if they do come local fans are assured of witnessing some of the best basketball played on the Pacific Coast. Washington was Pacific Coast champions last year, and Oregon was in contention, as the Northern team. In addition, an invitation to the University of Southern California to make the jaunt over here after their series with Washington has been extended. The Thunderbirds from University of British Columbia are likely to be on hand, final tentative arrangements calling for them to appear here November 17.

Visiting Maquisard in search of medical aid

Phillips was a prisoner of war for a month, sentenced to hospital, before he was released by advancing Americans in France.

Hockey Boom Inevitable

England, Scotland Will Reap Benefit

OTTAWA Oct. 24 (CP)—A boom in hockey in Britain appears to be inevitable in the opinion of Sqdn. Ldr. G. B. Carey, Pembroke D.F.C. Valleyfield, Que., just back from overseas where in peacetime he had played hockey.

"Hockey should enjoy a big boom in both England and Scotland after the war," he said. "And there should be a great opportunity for Canadian players to get into the money over there. The speed-minded Britons are taking their hockey very seriously and even in wartime there is a keen interest in the game."

Questioned regarding the possibility of National Hockey League teams making seasonal jaunts to England or a league in which N.H.L. teams might participate the Italian bomber pilot said: "Such a dream team would never come true."

He did not believe the English fans would take to the National League type of play. He also expressed the view that unless amateur hockey in Canada received the patronage it deserved the fans were likely to find themselves with a mediocre brand of the game due to a migration to England of finable players.

It wouldn't surprise me in the near future if some big league activity

Juvenile Soccer

Oak Bay footballers came through with an easy 8-1 victory over Esquimalt yesterday afternoon at the Oak Bay Park. The winners finished this form so early in the season, while the losers should improve with more training and coaching behind them. At half-time the score was 4-0 and the goal scorers, for the winning eleven were Richards with three, Latham two and Golding with the other.

K's WILL WORK OUT

A practice of the K's juvenile basketball team will be held at the Cornishing gymnasium on Saturday at 3 o'clock. All boys under 14 interested in playing are invited to attend as there are still some vacancies.

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Poles Die in Gas Chamber

MOSCOW, Oct. 24 (AP).—A horrible aftermath of Warsaw's last fight for freedom is being staged by German executioners at Oswiecim, the notorious concentration camp 30 miles west of Krakow.

Reports received from underground sources here and the Polish emigrant headquarters in London indicate that after the insurrection there was ended reached Oswiecim October 14 and were killed in gas chambers the same day. It is estimated that this group totaled 12,400, mostly women and children.

All Polish males between the ages of 16 and 60 capable of physical labor were sent on to Germany for slave gang service.

The Soviet-sponsored Polish Committee of National Liberation today gave this version of what happened to the people of Warsaw:

Of the original population of more than 1,000,000, there were 400,000 Jews. These were exterminated during the years of German occupation.

When fighting broke out inside Warsaw August 1, the Germans removed up to 250,000 civilians to the Pruszkow camp on the road to Lodz.

A quarter of a million Poles are believed to have perished in the city during the 63-day struggle. They died from bombings, shellings, fire, famine and epidemics.

About 250,000 still were alive when the Germans compelled capitulation of the liberation forces.

At Oswiecim, meanwhile, the German S.S. (Elite Corps) management began on October 7 "making room" for vast numbers of new inmates. This camp held an estimated 168,000 prisoners, 100,000 of them Polish. About 12,000 Poles were killed as a kind of "practice" fog fruitless large-scale slaughter as soon as the Warsaw survivors began to pour in.

The first caravan from the Warsaw area, bearing gaunt mothers with sick children in their arms, enfeebled middle-aged people and mad dazed by their experiences, was unloaded at Oswiecim on October 14. They were led in batches of hundreds into airtight concrete disinfection chambers. While the guards watched through glass windows they were killed methodically with poison gas.

The underground reports indicated that other caravans from Warsaw were arriving at Oswiecim almost daily, but definite information discovered only events through October 14.

Your Daily Forecast

By EDWARD A. WAGNER

PLANETARY GUIDE FOR WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 25, 1944

Keywords for the Day: Ingenuity, ideas, surprises.

Wednesday in General — The morning prior to 11.07 a.m. calls for a little extra tact and discretion in dealings with others and you would be wise to give yourself a little extra time to reach your destination. After this time favors new ideas and new methods of doing things. This is also an excellent time in which to salvage, renovate and recondition things. Be friendly, sociable and have a good time in the evening.

If October 25 Is Your Birthdate — "Many happy returns." Famous persons born on this date include: Prince Michael of Rumania; R. E. Byrd, Jr., aviator and explorer; J. F. Dodge automobile manufacturer.

Your Year Ahead: Forward financial interests, solve problems concerning money matters and possessions make gains concerning domestic, family and friendship interests.

This original type of astrological feature applies to you on Wednesday. Look for your birthsign and date below.

March 21 to April 19, Aries—Wednesday favors ideas, associations with others, friendships, sociability and plans but avoid tardiness, taking chances in the morning.

April 20 to May 20, Taurus—You can benefit from new ideas, new methods of doing things and from affecting savings and short-cuts on Wednesday; but avoid dissension or opposition in the morning.

May 21 to June 20, Gemini—Your ingenuity and resourcefulness are intensified on Wednesday. Make plans, associate with others in your undertakings. Morning calls for extra care in transit discretion with devotions.

June 21 to July 22—Cancer—Make the most of what you have on Wednesday, attend to accounts and finances, renovate or salvage what is usable. Morning calls for a conservative policy with money and vitality.

July 23 to August 22, Leo—Be co-operative, mix with people, forward public, partnership and friendship interests on Wednesday. Enjoy some sociability but be guarded against complications in the morning.

August 23 to September 22, Virgo — Make some improvements or gains concerning work service, dealings with those in authority, clothing interests, and necessities on Wednesday; home is a good place to be in the evening.

September 23 to October 22, Libra —Wednesday afternoon and evening favors planning, deciding, attention to distant interests, travel, relaxation and pleasure...Make the most of your associations with others.

October 23 to November 21, Scorpio—Afternoon and evening favors completion of tasks, attention to finances. Your home, family, office should be the scene of some change or opportunity. Add to your possessions or comfort in some manner.

Sagittarius—Afternoon time favors association with others; be attentive to the mood and attitudes of people, seek information and ideas. Give or gain co-operation, advance personal interests and friendships.

December 22 to January 19, Capricorn—Plan ways and means of increasing finances and possessions, adding to your efficiency regarding work and necessities on Wednesday afternoon and evening. Complete tasks and solve problems.

January 20 to February 18, Aquarius—Afternoon and evening favors opportunities and contacts, new ideas and new methods of doing things in afternoon and evening. Forward friendship and social activities, perfect future plans.

February 19 to March 20, Pisces—Ingenuity, ideas can be helpful and serve to solve problems to advantage on Wednesday afternoon and evening. Seek to gain the favor of those in influential positions.

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The great realities are often both

Duncan City Clerk Dies Following Illness

DUNCAN, Oct. 24 — E. S. Fox, Duncan city clerk and secretary of the Duncan Consolidated School Board for the past eleven years, died at his home here last night. He was recently granted three months leave of absence owing to illness.

Ernest Sidney Fox was born at Bishops Stortford, Herts, England, in 1896. He served in the First

during his residence in Duncan was active in the local branch of the Canadian Legion. He was a member of St. John's Church and of the church committee. He was also a member of the Cowichan Cricket Club and did much to maintain interest in that sport in the district.

Besides his wife and daughter, Dorothy, at the family residence, he is survived by two sons, Midshipman Alex Fox, R.C.N., on the Uganda, John, who has just arrived overseas

Mr. and Mrs. John Fox, Maple Bay Road, Duncan.

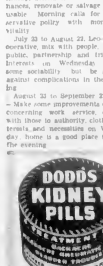
Death Penalty for Paris Journalist

PARIS, Oct. 24 (AP).—George Suares, veteran Paris journalist, was convicted tonight of collaboration with the Germans during the four years' occupation of France and was sentenced to death after a trial lasting less than six hours.

all of Suares' property. The courtroom crowd cheered the verdict.

The trial was the first of a series during which the Government intends in the next six months to deal with 100,000 persons accused of giving aid and comfort to the Germans.

Canadian Institute of Mining and Metallurgy, British Columbia Division, will hold its annual meeting at Vancouver from November 18 to 17, according to word received from H. Mortimer - Lamb, divisional secre-



Proposed Oak Bay Junior High School May Require $300,000

Cost of a junior high school building in Oak Bay may be approximately $300,000, it was learned yesterday. Property required for the proposed school, three acres, is located at the northern end of Elgin Street, and adjoins grounds of Oak Bay High School. An option on the property, owned by heirs of the late George Alexander Tait, was received by the Oak Bay School Board last today. Cost of the property will be $4,000.

It is also hoped by the board that certain municipal land near the Oak Bay Pavilion will be required. The land, approximately four acres, is now being used as a municipal nursery. If the property is obtained, it is planned to retain the nursery facilities, and include them in the school curriculum in the form of horticultural and agricultural studies.

Services of an architect have been secured by the school board, and within two weeks it is hoped to have a rough plan of the proposed school ready to present to board members for careful study and consideration. Later, the sketch will be presented to the Municipal Council.

To enable ratepayers of Oak Bay to understand the necessity of such a new school, a public meeting will be held in the near future, according to Trustee R. S. Yates.

Plans for the new school include all the latest and most modern facilities, and it is intended that the building should be used also as a type of community centre. A large auditorium, complete and modern to the last detail, would serve as a meeting place for residents of the district. A large, fully-equipped gymnasium is also planned, and construction of the building would allow addition of a swimming pool.

Twelve classrooms, with additional classrooms, art and manual training centre, library, cafeteria and home economics rooms are planned for the proposed two-story structure.

Crew Members of Waskesiu Now Back

A NOTHER contingent of Royal Canadian Naval personnel who took part in the Allied invasion of Normandy arrived in Canada recently when members of the crew of the Canadian frigate HMCS. Waskesiu reached all eastern Canadian port. The frigate, which sank an enemy submarine on her maiden voyage overseas, took part in "D" Day operations, screening landing craft onto the beaches.

Here are the Victoria ratings who served aboard Waskesiu during her varied experiences. From left to right are (front row) Leading Bdg. Airman R. C. Hall, Leading Stoker Thomas M. C. Clark, Leading Seaman Thomas Burton, R.C.N.V.R. Lieg Ch Cookman M. C. Clark, R.C.N.V.R. (Back row), S.A. Bernard Delamere, R.C.N.V.R., and C.S.P.O. William Gendie, R.C.N.R.

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Urges Public to Check Coupons

Ration Book No 6, with the "pink cover," should be checked so are that it includes all 13 stamps, Wartime Prices and Trade Board officials said yesterday. Each person should also make sure the full address and telephone number are inscribed on the cover, to make recovery easier in case of loss.

During rush periods at distribution centres, clerks sometimes have omitted filling in addresses, officials pointed out. The addition of the telephone number makes it easier to locate the owner in case of loss.

The public is also urged to check No 6 book and note if the "K" sheet, which was used as an application blank, has been removed. Some may have been passed up and it is important that any "K" sheets left in books be surrendered to the local WPTB Office in the Belmont Building.

The 13 coupon sheets include one sugar, one preserves, two butter, two "M" sheets, one "P" sheet, one "Q" sheet, two "R" sheets and one "S" sheet. There is also a name-and-address sheet, "RB 181."

Persons who have neglected to obtain their Book No. 5 may have to wait a week before coupons are available at the local ration office.

H. P. Hodges New Editor of Times

Harry P. Hodges, associate editor of The Victoria Daily Times since March, 1942, has been appointed editor-in-chief of that newspaper, it was announced yesterday. He succeeds Bernard C. Drury, who has resigned to become editorial director of The Vancouver News-Herald.

Mr Hodges has been on the editorial staff of The Times since 1918 when he joined as Parliamentary reporter, becoming assistant editorial writer in 1919, under the citorship of the late B. C. Nicholas. On the latter's death in 1936, Mr. Hodges became chief editorial writer.

After completing his apprenticeship to the printing and publishing business in Austria and Germany, Mr. Hodges was for six and a half years deputy week manager of the London and County Printing & Publishing Works (Avenue Press), Drury Lane, London. He came to Canada for his health in November, 1912.

Prior to joining The Times he was for three and a half years editor and publisher of The Daily Inland Sentinel at Kamloops.

City Police Court

Harry Brockbank, former RCN. rating and a shipyard employee, was sentenced to a year in prison at hard labor for forgery by Magistrate H. C. Hall in city police court yesterday. Found guilty on Friday, he made a statement to the magistrate on Monday and was remanded one day for sentence. The magistrate in passing sentence, said Brockbank had expressed no regret in his statement.

W. H. Odsen, a naval rating pleading guilty to a dangerous driving charge, was fined $25 and had his driver's licence suspended for a month.

A woman found guilty on a charge of being intoxicated was sentenced to 20 days in prison. She admitted previous convictions for similar offences.

One parking charge was dismissed when evidence of a constable and wording of the parking ticket as to location of the car involved did not agree.

Eight motorists paid parking fines of $2.50 each. One paid a $5 traffic fine, and another a $10 fine.

To Discuss Contract

The city water board will meet on Thursday morning to discuss negotiation of a new contract with the B.C. Electric Railway Co. Ltd. for water supplied by the city to the company's Goldstream power plant. Alderman J. A. Worthington, chairman of the board, said yesterday.

Under the contract that expired recently, the city received $4,000 a year from the company.

LOCAL OVERSEAS LEAGUE

Victoria Branch of the Overseas League will meet in the Y.W.C.A. at 2.30 o'clock on the afternoon of November 1.

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Coroner Resigns—Dr. E. M. Dust of Qualicum Beach, has resigned as coroner.

Street Movies—First of the street movies planned by Victoria Junior Town officials is scheduled tonight at 8 o'clock on View Street, between Broad and Douglas Streets.

Debts Judge—F. J. Bayfield, recently appointed police magistrate at North Vancouver, has also been appointed judge of the small debts court in place of R. A. Sargent, who resigned.

Rigger Killed—Harry Thompson, 31, second rigger for Power Timber Co., Port McNeill, V.I., died on Sunday of injuries received in a truck collision on the company's logging road, Provincial Police have been advised.

Plans Cottage—Reserve on 8 seven-acre island at Cowland Harbor, Sayward District, has been cancelled by order-in-council following the application of Phyllis A. Gardner to purchase it for Summer cottage purposes.

Coupons Due—Interest coupons on 5 per cent Third and Fourth Victory Loan bonds, due 1956 and 1957, respectively, are payable November 1 and may be cashed at banks, trust companies or investment dealer offices.

Want Auditorium—A motion from Greater Victoria Chapter of Credit Unions urging erection of an auditorium in the city, including a skating rink and other recreational facilities, will come before the City Council on Monday.

Naval Display—Equipment used by the Royal Canadian Navy will be displayed Thursday and Friday on View Street, Victory Loan officials stated yesterday. Personnel equipment will be displayed in store windows.

Prizes Victoria—Last issue of The Canadian Police Bulletin, organ of the Chief Constables Association of Canada, contains a detailed report of the convention held in Victoria and in the report and an editorial pays lavish tribute to the hospitality enjoyed here.

Radio Program—Maud Wallace and Pat McMillan, of Victoria High School, will participate in a forum panel discussion over Radio Station CJVI at 2 o'clock this afternoon. The program will also be carried over the CBC network and will include such questions as citizenship and juvenile delinquency.

Permits Issued—Alterations estimated at $4000, involving the provision of office space, are planned by Victoria Phosphate Brewery Co. Ltd., according to a permit issued yesterday of the City Hall. Other permits were for a $4,200 dwelling for Douglas Macdougall at 1328 Kings Road, and a $1,000 dwelling for Frank McHugh at 435 Dallas Road.

To Appeal Again—Stuart Henderson stated yesterday he would notify the Attorney-General of his intention to carry the Albert E. Bartlett appeal to the Supreme Court of Canada. Originally sentenced to hang, Bartlett on appeal to the British Columbia Court of Appeal had his sentence reduced to 15 years in the penitentiary.

Appointments Made—Appointments of Alfred Joyce to the position of collector of road, poll and dog taxes and of John Bernard Smith to that of cashier in the assessor-collector's office, were made by the finance committee yesterday, subject to confirmation by the City Council. Appointments were based on seniority.

Nature Museum—Giuseppe Roal, of Qualicum Beach, who according to a provincial order-in-council has developed his present holdings into a "private nature museum," has applied for two lots of fire areas each adjoining his ground, in order for extension of the nature museum. For Greenlands and for a road. Reserve on the desired land has been cancelled.

Soldier's Farm—Because he sought the land to establish a farm, complete with stock, for his soldier son, reserve on 180 acres in the Peace River for which James Norman Bond had been allotted by the Government, Mr Bond stated the land in 1943, but his application at that time was refused because it was included in land set aside for rehabilitation purposes.

Harbor Question—The port and harbor development committee of the Chamber of Commerce will meet in the board room Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock. A report will be received from the special committee, consisting of P. W. and O. B. Rivers, which recently conferred with members of the City Council in connection with proposed developments of Victoria port facilities.

No Discussion on Change of Clocks

Possibility of British Columbia returning to standard time did not enter into discussions of the Provincial Cabinet yesterday morning, Premier John Hart said.

"We did not have a chance to discuss it," he explained.

Hon. Norman McLarty, Secretary of State, indicated Monday that if any producers wished to return to standard time no objection would be raised by Ottawa.

Premier Names Fly

Premier John Hart, who in addition to heading the British Columbia Coalition Government is also Minister of Commerce and Minister of Lands, has a new claim to fame—he has had a fly named in his honor, it was learned after him. He discovered the fly himself, and according to J. V. Fisher, assistant deputy minister of finance, the "John Hart Special" is most effective.

The fly was tied by the Misses Stewart, of Cowichan, where the Premier first tested it. During a morning's fishing he had two strikes. At the noon luncheon break he trimmed the last and in the afternoon landed and added a fine creel. It was the only session he saw under that day, incidentally at Cowichan. Boy one frequently sees fish being hooked.

Premier Hart is a devotee of light tackle and long battles of skill. He does not care for a spoon and so did because they take much of the fight out of fishing.

Lived Here 49 Years

Funeral services for the late Thomas Brothers, who passed away on Monday at 2801 Doncaster Drive in his 73rd year, will be held at McCall Bros. Floral Funeral Chapel at 3.30 o'clock this afternoon. Officiants and members of Victoria Lodge No. 1, I.O.G.F., will officiate. Mr Brothers was born at Pinsley, Bedfordshire, and had resided here 49 years. He is survived by one daughter, and nieces, and was a member of the I.O.G.F. and Victoria Lawn Bowling Club.

Need Radio Outfit

Victoria and District Branch of the Canadian Red Cross Society, 602 Broughton Street, telephone Beacon 3158, is in need of a small radio set for a repatriated prisoner of war who is confined to hospital. The branch is also anxious to locate Henry Brandard, who at one time lived at 1425 Alfred Street.

Mayhew Disagrees With Mainwaring

Strong criticism of the stand of W. C. Mainwaring, British Columbia Civil Defence head, that a fire barge is not essential for Victoria, is contained in a letter to Mr. Mainwaring from R. W. Mayhew, M.P., a copy of which was received at the City Hall yesterday.

Mr. Mayhew also forwarded a copy of a letter from Mr. Mainwaring which clinched his credit. Mr. Mainwaring said that the Cabinet yesterday morning, his committee definitely concurred with the statement of Gen. Alex Ross, Canadian Civil Defence head that "a fire barge is certainly not essential from a military view at the national or civil defence. Therefore, I would not recommend purchase of one to the minister."

Mr. Mainwaring told Mr. Mayhew that Lieut. Col. Hamilton Harbor would increase tremendously as the Pacific war approaches, and recommending a rank that made the supplying of barges there necessary. Victoria harbor is compact, and the same condition of congestion does not exist in it," he said.

Mr. Mayhew replied: "I cannot agree with your argument. The principle of protecting civilian property, whether it be spread over the full distance of Burrard Inlet, or over the Inner and Outer Harbors and the Gorge waters, is exactly the same."

Pointing out that there were two shipyards and the storage places of four major oil companies here, he said: "Destruction of our docks would mean a crippling blow to us all." He described Mr. Mainwaring's arguments as "pretty thin," and said the citizens of Victoria would not concur in it.

Discuss Renovation Program for Y.M.C.A.

Renovation work at the Y.M.C.A., although as a standstill during the Summer months due to labor and material shortages, will get under way immediately, it was disclosed at a directors' meeting held Monday. Improvements planned include the conversion of a dormitory of approximately 50 rooms, alteration of wash room and shower facilities, and general renovation of halls.

Reports were given on physical education, affiliated Y.M.C.A. organizations, the department, and the war services activities. In the latter it was suggested that more detailed information be sought about returning servicemen for the benefit of those organizations which have been work for and with returned service personnel.

It was reported the Victoria High School Hi-Y Club was under way, and that the Young Men's Hi-Y Club had been organized. Activities of the 80-far groups were presented, and matters pertaining to the Bud-Y group were reported. Contributors and supporters of their program was reported by a panel of members of the Victoria Youth Committee.

Archie McKinnon, physical instructor, was given authority to attend a meeting of the Canadian Physical Education Association, to be held in Winnipeg from November 2 to 4 and Mrs Helen Simpson, executive secretary, and Archie Morrison, boys' work secretary, were asked to attend a social work conference here from November 2 to 4. The resignation of Mr. Morrison, who is to become the first community counsellor at Kelowna starting January 1, was accepted with regret by the Board.

VICTORIA TRUTH CENTRE

Dr. Henry V. Morgan, Tacoma, will speak on "Breathing the Breath of God" at Victoria Truth Centre, 724 Port Street, at 8 o'clock tonight. Miss Celia Cohen on "Six Loved Ones as They Sleep," will be the topic at 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. Topic of "God's Saving Law of Supply," at 8 o'clock tomorrow night.

Announcements

Women's Canadian Club, Empress Hotel, Friday, Oct. 27, 2.30 p.m.: Dr. Winnifred Duffin, subject: "Travels in China." Trios, violins and piano. Present white membership cards at door.

Cameron Chapter I.O.D.E. birthday bridge tea, residence Miss Kathleen Ross, 1325 Richmond Avenue, Saturday, October 28, 2 p.m. Reservations E 2888. Bring your own cards.

Bazaar, Hard of Hearing Club, Saturday, November 4, 2.30, 1418 Douglas Street. Novelties, bake stall, aprons, home-cooked, superfluities, orchestra afternoon tea.

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Members of Legislature Seek Addition to Tranquille Unit

Urging that the Provincial Government's projected additional tuberculosis hospital unit should be located at Tranquille, where the Government already has a large tuberculosis hospital, a delegation consisting of R. H. Carson, M.L.A. for Vale, Dr. R. W. Irving and Sidney Green, M.L.A. for Kamloops, Dr. J. J. Gillis, M.L.A. for Cariboo, and Dr. J. Ross Ross, M.L.A. for Nelson, will wait on the Cabinet next Monday night, it was learned yesterday.

"The delegation contended extension of the present sanitarium would serve the interests of the province and of patients better than a new hospital elsewhere.

Consideration of the delegation's representation was pledged by the Cabinet.

Construction of a 350-bed tuberculosis hospital unit should be commenced in the Spring of 1945, it was stated by the delegation.

Government Sends Troops Cigarettes

Customary gift of 300,000 cigarettes for distribution at Christmas to British Columbia men and women of the armed services, overseas, has been made by the Provincial Government, Premier John Hart announced yesterday.

The Government has also sent 1,738 packs of playing cards to recreational centres used by British Columbia men and women.

Since January 18 "including the Christmas shipment announced yesterday, the Provincial Government has sent 1,487,000 gift cigarettes to British Columbia personnel overseas.

Including orders by individuals, various organizations and the Government gifts, cigarette shipments to overseas have averaged 9,00,000 monthly.

AUTOMOBILE RECOVERED

Stolen from Humboldt Street near Quadra Street Monday night, a car owned by Waldo Skillings, 1721 Rockland Avenue, was recovered by police yesterday evening in the 100 block on Niagara Street. Frank Tilver, 1612 Gladstone Avenue, reported a truck, lacking two tires stolen from the Malahat.

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R.C.A.—Bombardier, Larry Andrews, Pte., Vancouver, McLeod, Kenneth George, Cpl., Vancouver.
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OTTAWA.—The Canadian Army in its ninth list names the following British Columbia casualties:
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WOUNDED
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Thriving Bulb Industry of Province Started on Island

Thousands of gardens throughout Canada will flame with blossom next Spring and the source of the majority of the blossoms will be British Columbia, through the bulb industry fathered in the Dressler Victoria area.

The province—from bulb farms on Fraser Valley, Okanagan and Kootenay—supplies 86 per cent of the narcissi, 96 per cent of the bulbous iris and 95 per cent of the tulips sold in Canada. It supplies large percentages of other bulbs.

Miss Rosemary Watson Holds a Basket of Choice Vancouver Island Tulip Bulbs, While Beside Her Are Trays of Daffodils, Tulips and Narcissi.

Climate gives British Columbia this leadership, for it is ideal for bulbs requiring warm, moisture-laden breezes to prosper.

Last year, for the first time, the Provincial Department of Agriculture placed a value on British Columbia bulb production, estimating sales totaled $212,000. This represented actual sales and did not take into account bulbs replanted for the next season.

Hon. Dr. K. C. MacDonald, Minister of Agriculture, is personally interested in assisting commercial bulb growers to establish and expand this industry. Under his authority circulars and monthly news letters have been issued to all growers in co-operation with the Dominion plant pathological laboratory at Saanichton, and assistance of various kinds has been extended. By close co-operation the Government and growers seek to raise and maintain high standards.

Last year the biennial survey of bulb acreage showed 360 acres devoted to this industry, compared with 198 acres in 1939. An acre of bulbs represents an investment of $1,500 to $2,000 or more, depending upon the bulb grown, and an extremely conservative estimate of the investment in bulb stock for 1943 would be $440,000, compared with $229,000 in 1939. In addition, growers have heavy investments in land, buildings, equipment and so on. It is a highly specialized undertaking.

Growth of the industry is necessarily slow, since stock must be built up year by year and heavy sales reduce the number of bulbs which can be used to increase acreage officials of the Department of Agriculture stated.

INDUSTRY SPURRED BY WAR; BELIEVE FUTURE BRIGHT

British Columbia produces largely "Dutch" bulbs, planted in the Fall and flowering in the Spring. It also produces 28 per cent of Canada's gladioli bulbs, planted each Spring.

The industry was well established prior to the war, but the German occupation of Holland and war's demands in England cut off large supplies formerly obtained from those sources and spurred production in this province. On the trade built up during these years growers hope to march forward in peace with a firmly established industry.

Of 360 acres planted last year, 178 were on Vancouver Island and the Gulf Islands, and 180 acres were in the Fraser Valley, Okanagan and Kootenay.

Gordon Head is the oldest bulb industry spread from Ubera to the Cowichan district and continues to grow, there being more than 50 bulb farms on the Lower Island.

Vancouver Island and the Gulf Islands, according to the last survey, led the province in narcissi with 8,003,161; in tulips with 3,624,117, and in bulbous iris with 3,210,794. Comparative figures for the Mainland were: Narcissi, 2,669,000; tulips, 4,288,300; bulbous iris, 212,500.

Churchill to Make Statement Friday

LONDON, Oct. 24 (CP-Reuters).—Prime Minister Churchill will make a "shortish statement" Friday in the House of Commons about his recent talks with Premier Stalin in Moscow.

He informed the House today after he had received a tremendous ovation on his first appearance since the Moscow talks. He added he hoped his statement would not lead to a debate. "But I would like to make a statement which in a way would be supplementary to what I said the last time and bring a few matters into it on which the House should be informed," Mr. Churchill said.

When John McGovern, Labor, suggested the Prime Minister was postponing his statement for lack of something to say, Mr. Churchill retorted:

"On the contrary, I am considering how I can best impart the greatest amount of information without committing an indiscretion in any direction or encroaching on controversial matters."

To Arrange Cables Before Christmas

OTTAWA, Oct. 24 (CP).—Authorities hope that arrangements can be completed before Christmas for the exchange of cabled messages between Allied prisoners of war and interned civilians in Japanese hands with their next of kin an External Affairs Department official said today.

Although the Japanese have signified their willingness to transmit 10-word cables to and from prison camps, the service has not yet started, he said. The arrangements depends on the co-operation of the Japanese and on facilities for transmission.

When the service starts, next of kin will not be allowed to send messages until they have heard from relatives in Japanese hands. Many relatives have had little or no information from the Far East, so officials consider that cables should come first from the prisoners or internees.

LONDON, Oct. 24 (CP-Reuters).—Plans have been made to repatriate British prisoners in Germany as soon as the war ends, Sir James Grigg, War Secretary, announced in the House of Commons today.

He also said that British prisoners will be told in advance of the Government plans for getting them home, and pledged that they would be kept waiting the minimum possible time.

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New York Stocks

NEW YORK, Oct. 24 (P.)—The stock market regained some of its vigour today and many of Monday's casualties shifted to the plus column.

The Associated Press 60-stock average was up one-eighth at 30.

Of 915 issues registering, 317 were up, 342 down and 256 unchanged. Transfers totaled 803,820 shares compared with 1,024,000 the day before which were the largest since September 7.

DOW JONES CLOSING AVERAGES

Thirty Industrials, 160.38, unchanged.

Twenty rails, 41.62, up .19

Fifteen Utilities, 13.64, up .07.

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Anaconda Tel. & Tel.	
Anaconda Copper	
Armour Ills	
Atlantic Refining	
B. & O. Bonds	
Bethlehem Steel	
Bond Stores	
Boeing Aircraft	
Borden	
Borg Warner	
Case J. I.	
C.P.R.	
Crown de Penn	
C. & O. Bonds	
Chrysler	
Columbia Gas	
Con. Edison	
Corn Prod.	
Curtiss Wright	
Douglas Aircraft	
Du Pont	
Eastman Kodak	
Erie R.R.	
Electric Auto Lite	
General Electric	
General Motors	
Gillette Gaus	
Goodrich B. F.	
Goodyear	
Gen. Baking	
Gulf Oil	
Hudson Motors	
Hudson Bay Mining	
Hupp Motors	
Int. Harvester	
Int. T. & T.	
Int. Nickel	
Johns-Manville	
Kennecott Copper	
Kresge S. S.	
Montgomery Ward	
New York Central	
New York Central	
Northern Pacific	
Penney J. C.	
Phillips Petr.	
Pullman	
Radio	
Reading Coal	
Reynolds Tobacco	
Railway Bonds	
Standard Oil N.J.	
Sears Roebuck	
Southern Pacific	
Standard Brands	
Texas Corp.	
Texas Gulf	
Union Carbide	
Union Pacific	
United Fruit	
United Gas Corp.	
United Corporation	
Vanadium	
Wabash	
Warner Pictures	
Westinghouse	
Woolworth	
Youngstown Sheet	

United Aircraft	30½
United Gas Corp.	10½
United Fruit	43
U. S. Rubber	43½
U. S. Steel	51½
U. S. Smelting	39½
Westinghouse Electric	106½
Woolworth F. W.	27½
Wentworth	1½
Youngstown Sheet	34½

Toronto Stocks

TORONTO, Oct. 24 (CP.)—Prices improved and the trading volume increased in the final period of today's Toronto exchange market. The market was dull down for the day however, despite the late gains. Aggregate turnover was around 372,000 shares.

INDUSTRIAL SECTION

	Bid	Asked
Acme Gas & Oil	13½	16
Aerovox Corp.	1.00	1.25
Bell Telephone	100	100
Bicaldian	71	71½
B.C. Power	26½	27½
B.C. Power "A"	26½	28
Can. Car & Fdy. Pfd	24	26
Can. Breweries	150½	167
Can. Bread Class "A"	17½	18½
Can. Bread Com.	17½	18½
Can. Canners B	16½	17
Can. Celanese	25½	26
C.P.R.	15½	15¾
Can. Vickers	19½	20½
Cons. Smelters	24½	25
Distillers Seagrams	18½	19
Dominion Bridge	70	75
Dominion Stores & Civil B	15½	16
Dom. of Canada	33½	35½
Gatineau	4½	5½
Gatineau Pfd	63	65
Hamilton Bridge	27	30
Hiram Walker	29	29½
Imperial Oil	30½	30¾
Int. Nickel	33	33½
Int. Paper Common	12½	13½
Labatt's	50	52
Lindsay B	30½	34
Mackinnon Class "B"	1.00	1.25
McColl-Frontenac Pfd	100	105
Massey-Harris	4½	5
Massey-Harris Pfd	21½	22½
Montreal Power	28	29½
National Steel Car	27½	29½
National Breweries	12½	13½
Ogilvie	78	80
Ontario Steel	20	22½
Penman's	67½	70
Power Corp.	6½	7½
Quebec Power	27½	28½
Shawinigan	34½	35½
Steel of Canada	50½	51½
United Grain	6½	8
Walker G. & W.	100½	102½
Winnipeg Electric Com.	2½	4½
Winnipeg Electric Pref.	10½	16
Western Canada Flour Mills	26	30

MINING SECTION

	High	Low	Close
Ankerite	7½	7½	7½
Anglo-Huronian			7.00
Armistice			07
Aunor	33	31	31
Bidgood			12
Bralorne	13.15	13	13
Bear Exploration	1.59	1.51	1.55
Bobjo			17
Bonetal Kirkland	79	75	75
Bidgood	17½	12	12
Bonetal			75
Bralorne	14.75	14.25	14.25
Cariboo Prospects			1.00
Central Patricia			1.00
C. & E.			1.00
Cariboo Malartic			60
Cariboo Gold Q			4.00
Cariboo			1.00
Chesbar	3.00	2.91	2.91
Chalmers	34	34	34
Dome Mines			21.50
Dome Rock			21.50
Dome			21.50
Dome Ex			21.50
Bell Mountain			1.00
Falconer dge			43
Fortune			1.00
Franchmont			1.00
Gold Belt	3.12½	3.12	3.12
Hedley			1.00
Hedley Gold			1.00
Grant Tetkwanta	7.11	7.01	7.01
Grant Lake	75	75	75
Golden			1.00
Golden Gulf			1.00
Golden			1.00
Hard Rock			1.00
Hedley Gold			1.00
Hedley Mascot			40
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Hasco Oil	3.00	2.91	2.91
Hawes	34	34	34
Jacobs-Ar M A B			21.50
Jacobs Mines			21.50
Jason			21.50
Kerr Addison			1.00
Highland Lake	1.06	1.01	1.06
Lake Shore	1.40	1.40	1.40
Lakeshore			1.00
Lebanon G			0.11½
Lorado Uxed	1.50	1.32	1.32
Little Long Lac			1.00
Lucky Cuzon			1.00
Madsen Red Lake	2.22	2.10	2.10
Marathon Gold Mines	3.50	2.75	3.50
Marbenor			1.00
Marbenor Red Lake	1.45	1.43	1.43
McWatters			09.500
Midland Continental	3.94	3.93	3.93
Mosher			1.00
Mosa	1.00	1.00	1.00
Hirstone			0.17½

Noranda			27.00
Normetal Mines			1.00
Oneida Gold	1.00	1.00	1.00
Orenda			1.00
Pamour			1.00
Pickle Crow			1.00
Pend Oreille			1.00
Perdue Lake	3.20	3.20	3.20
Pickle Crow			3.00
Pioneer			2.50
Powell Rouyn	1.00	.98	.98
Preston East Dome			1.00
Prospector			1.00
Quebec Gold	3.75	1.04	1.03
Reno Gold			1.00
Sladen Malartic			1.00
Sherritt-Gordon			1.00
Siscoe			1.00
Stadar Minerals	67	66	67
Stock Yards	3.00	3.00	3.00
Sturgeon R			1.00
Sudbury	1.30	1.28	1.28
Sunnylands			1.00
Tech Hughes	3.45	2.00	1.45
Toburn			1.00
Upper Canada			1.00
Vangorda	10.10	10.10	10.10
Wasa Lake			1.00
Wright-Hargreaves	2.10	2.10	2.10

Stocks and Bonds

	Bid	Asked
Algoma Steel Pfd	28	30
Bank Stocks	130	140
Bell Telephone	100½	100
B.C. Power "A"	26½	27½
B.C. Power	26½	28
Bralorne	14½	15
Brewing Corporation	18½	19½
Burrard Class "A"	17½	18½
Burrard Class "B"	17½	18½
Canadian Pacific Railway	15½	15¾
Can. Breweries Pfd	99½	100
Can. Bread Class "A"	17½	18½
Can. Bread Class "B"	17½	18½
Can. Car & Fdy. Pfd	24	26
Can. Celanese Common	25½	26
Can. Celanese Pfd	27½	28½
Can. Canners Class "A"	16½	17
Can. Canners Class "B"	16½	17
Can. Vickers	19½	20½
C.P.R.	15½	15¾
Cons. Smelters	24½	25
Cons. Bakeries	34½	35½
Distillers Seagrams	18½	19
Dominion Bridge	70	75
Dominion Stores & Civil B	15½	16
Dom. of Canada	33½	35½
Gatineau	4½	5½
Gatineau Pfd	63	65
Hamilton Bridge	27	30
Hiram Walker	29	29½
Imperial Oil	30½	30¾
Int. Nickel	33	33½
Int. Paper Common	12½	13½
Labatt's	50	52
Lindsay B	30½	34
Mackinnon Class "B"	1.00	1.25
McColl-Frontenac Pfd	100	105
Massey-Harris	4½	5
Massey-Harris Pfd	21½	22½
Montreal Power	28	29½
National Steel Car	27½	29½
National Breweries	12½	13½
Ogilvie	78	80
Ontario Steel	20	22½
Penman's	67½	70
Power Corp.	6½	7½
Quebec Power	27½	28½
Shawinigan	34½	35½
Steel of Canada	50½	51½
United Grain	6½	8
Walker G. & W.	100½	102½
Winnipeg Electric Com.	2½	4½
Winnipeg Electric Pref.	10½	16
Western Canada Flour Mills	26	30

Closing Averages

TORONTO

Twenty industrials, 128.06 down .46

Twenty golds, 109.30 down .17

Two base metals, 74.34, down .32

Fifteen Western oils, 23.90, down .07

Total sales: 372,000 shares

MONTREAL

Twenty industrials 86.20, unchanged.

Ten utilities 34.60, up .20

Thirty combined, 75.76, up .01

Ten pulp and paper 163.83 off 3.34

Fifteen golds 78.62, off .96

VANCOUVER

Twenty golds, 31.40 up .22

Two base metals 40.74 up .70

Fifteen oils, 78.73 off .11

Winnipeg Grain

WINNIPEG, Oct. 24 (CP.)—Rye futures advanced as much as 1½ cents at times today on the Winnipeg Grain Exchange encouraged by further gains at Chicago.

Closing prices were 1⅞-8 to 1½ higher with October at 1.00 7-8 December 1.08 7-8 and May 1.08 1-8.

Dealings during the day were confined to local and commission house, offerings were scarce

Rye	Open	High	Low	Close
Oct.	99½	100	99½	100
Dec.	1.08	1.08	1.08	1.08
May	1.08	1.08	1.08	1.08

Bulk Grain

Oats			
Oct.	*		
Dec.			
May			
Barley			
Oct.			
Dec.			
May			
Flax C W			
Oct.	.44		
Dec.	.44		
May	1.06		
Rye C W			
Oct.	1.00		
Dec.	1.08		
May	1.08		

Montreal Stocks

MONTREAL, Oct. 24 (CP.)—Papers edged down in transfers today on the Stock Exchange and Curb Market and other groups were irregular.

Losers of fractions in papers were Howard Smith common and Provincial Paper common, Brown, Fraser, Consolidated Paper, Donnacona, M & O and Quebec Pulp.

	Bid	Asked
Can. Investment Fund, 6-d		
Canadian Bank of Commerce	18½	20½
Canadian Canners	16½	17
Canadian Bank	130	140
Bank of Nova Scotia	256	
Bell Telephone	100½	100
Brazilian Tract.	16½	17
B.C. Power "A"	26½	27½
B.C. Power	26½	28
Bralorne	14½	15
Brewing Corporation	18½	19½
Burrard Class "A"	17½	18½
Burrard Class "B"	17½	18½
Canadian Pacific Railway	15½	15¾
Can. Breweries Pfd	99½	100
Can. Bread Class "A"	17½	18½
Can. Bread Class "B"	17½	18½
Can. Car & Fdy. New Pfd	24	26
Can. Celanese Common	25½	26
Can. Celanese Pfd	27½	28½
Canadian Dredge & Dock	17½	18½
Canadian Industrial Alcohol	16½	17
Canadian Industries	87	
Canadian Locomotive	19½	20½
Canadian Oil Companies	24½	25
Canadian Vickers, Com.	19½	20½
Canadian Vickers, Pref.	40	
Canadian Pacific	15½	15¾
Consolidated Smelters	24½	25
Consolidated Paper	10½	11
Consolidated Gold	1.00	1.25
Consolidated Mining	1.00	1.25
Consolidated Bakeries	34½	35½
Dominion Bridge	70	75
Dominion Stores	15½	16
Dominion Coal Com.	13½	14½
Dominion Coal Pfd	75½	76½
Dominion Dairies, Class "A"	14½	15½
Dominion Dairies, Class "B"	14½	15½
Dominion Textile	75½	76½
Dominion Tire Pfd	19½	20½
Dominion Tire Com.	4½	5½
Dominion Oil & Chemical	33½	35½
Dominion Steel	50½	51½
Dominion Stores	15½	16
Eastern Dairies Pfd	75½	76½
Fraser Companies	10½	11
Fraser Companies Pref.	75½	76½
Fraser Companies Pref.	75½	76½
Fraser Companies Pref.	75½	76½